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ELLIOTT'S GARDEN BOOK-1927





A Selection of the Finer Things in Flower Seeds

INCLUDING SEEDS OF RARE AND BEAUTIFUL NOVELTIES AND SPECIALTIES

The varieties offered below are most carefully selected and represent the best in their class. If the seed is started out-doors it must not be planted until all danger from frost is past. If started in-doors early in the season (February or March) some of them may be had in bloom as early as June. All of them will bloom this year, although the perennials will give a better display the second year. Cultural directions will be found on every package.

- ANTIRRIIINUM OR SNAPDRAGON—For gorgeous coloring, few flowers can match these snapdragons. The tall and dwarf sorts should be freely mixed in flower beds and borders, where they produce a brilliant effect from Summer until frost.

- 72 CHARM—Flowers very large, of a beautiful glowing rose, fine compact habit, 1½ feet. Price per packet......25e
- 74 EMPRESS—A handsome variety producing flowers of a rich velvety dark crimson with scarlet glow and having a purple-colored throat; height 1½ feet. Per packet....25e





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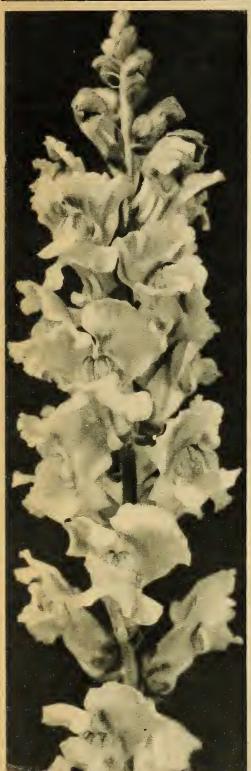
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Antirrhinum (Tall Maximum)

ANTIRRHINUM (Snapdragon) Selected Varieties—Continued

96	PRINCESS PATRICIA—Tall. Lovely pale rose shaded chamois. One of the finest of the recent introductions. Per packet25c
95	PURITY—Semi-dwarf. Plants of good compact habit covered with flowers of the purest glistening white. Per packet
84	REMBRANDT —Flowers very large, upper petals deep rose, lower petals rich orange-scarlet broadly margined canary and having a golden blotch, very striking,. $1\frac{1}{2}$ feet. Per packet
85	ROSE KING — Very large flowers of a brilliant deep rose, 2½ feet. Per packet
86	SILVER QUEEN—Flowers very large, silvery white, faintly tinged pink, throat rosy mauve, very beautiful, 1½ feet. Per packet
91	THE FAWN—Very pale lemon shaded buff with chamois-rose throat, beautiful, 1½ feet. Per packet
94	TORCHLIGHT—Fiery orange-scarlet with orange throat slightly tinged pink, very showy, 2½ feet. Per packet
90	VICTORY—The largest-flowered snapdragon of the semi-dwarf section; color rich terra cotta and orange with lip shaded gold, and having a white throat, very striking. Per packet
103	MIXTURE of GLOWING ORANGE-SCARLET and SCARLET SHADES—A blend of the finest varieties of these colors, giving a most glorious fiery effect in the garden, 1½ feet. Per packet25c

Antirrhinum Tall Maximum

This is the most superb creation in Giant Snapdragon. The plants are very robust and form flower spikes of indescribable beauty from 3 to $4\frac{1}{2}$ feet tall. The individual flowers are placed closely on the stems. They are of remarkable size and of the loveliest and softest pastel tones.

They are as easily grown from seed as any ordinary Snap-dragon. A few clumps of these Snapdragon scattered through your border will help to make your flower garden rank among the finest of landscape creations.

For cutting, these Snapdragon are unsurpassed. The long graceful spikes of soft blending tones will lend distinction to any setting.

104 APPLE BLOSSOM—Rosy pink, yellow, golden yellow lip. Per packet	40c
105 BUNCH OF LILAC—Lilacy purple. Per packet	.40c
106 CANARY BIRD—Canary yellow; golden yellow center. Per packet	25e
107 CATTLEYA—Rosy lilac. Per packet	.25e
108 CERBERUS—Carmine rose, yellow lip. Per packet	25e
89 COPPER KING—Velvety copper scarlet. Per packet	25c
109 GOLDEN CHAMOIS—Flowers borne in large trusses, color a beau apricot shaded orange, with soft pink throat. Per packet	
110 DIAMOND—Golden yellow, lilac throat. Per packet.	.40c
111 GOLDEN QUEEN—Deep yellow. Per packet.	25c
112 OLD GOLD—Deep golden yellow. Per packet	
113 PURPLE KING—Deep glowing purple. Per packet	25c
114 SNOWFLAKE—Pure white, yellow tube. Per packet	25e
116 THE ROSE—Rose pink. Per packet	. 35c
117 WALLFLOWER—Brownish orange, copper red. Per packet	25c
118 ALL COLORS—Mixed. Per packet	25c



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ASTERS

American Beauty New Early Flowering

Height 2 to 3 feet; commences blooming about August first and continuing from then on until frost. The flowers are very beautifully formed and of extra large size, 4 to 5 inches in diameter. They are borne on stout stems which are 18 to 20 inches long, making them excellent for cutting. This is without doubt one of the finest Asters ever developed.

195 Carmine—rose

196 Royal Purple

197 September Pink

198 Beautiful Lavender 199 All colors mixed

Price per packet of any and all varieties 35c. Collection

of 5 for \$1.50



Early American Beauty



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Mayfield Giant



- 635 CHRYSANTHEMUM—NEW EARLY-FLOWERING DOUBLE STRAIN—A remarkably decorative strain of Early Double Chrysanthemums, flowering from July and onwards if sown in February, and during autumn and winter if sown at end of March. The flowers will be found valuable for cutting, hardy perennials; 20 inches. Per packet. 50c
- 465 CANTERBURY BELL—CALYCAN-THEMA DOUBLE—A handsome new strain of the Cup and Saucer Canterbury Bell, producing over 50% of flowers having the corolla tube or trumpet duplicated; colors purple, blue, pink, lilac, white, and striped, hardy biennial; 2½ feet. Per packet.
- 515 CARNATION GIANT AMERICAN LONG-STEMMED—A grand strain bearing very large handsome blooms, mostly plainedged, of various fine colors on long wiry stems, foliage dark green, hardy perennial; Per packet 50c.
- 775 COSMOS—NEW DOUBLE ANNUAL—
 This strain is far superior to the old fashioned Cosmos. The flowers are large, fine in form, and resemble very much the double Pyrethrum. The colors are pure and very clear. The flowers last a long time after cutting. A large percentage of them come true to type. Per packet... 25c







DAHLIAS

Dahlias grow from seeds very satisfactorily. Contrary to the general belief that the seeds will take a very long time to develop into flowering plants, the plants grown from seed bloom earlier and longer than the plants grown from tubers. The price per plant when grown from seed is but a small fraction of the price of a tuber. Each year we grow a great many plants from seed, and always have an abundance of flowers during a long blooming season. Among them we find such rare beauties as would match the most expensive named sorts. They are so easily grown from seed that in our opinion it would seem unwise to buy tubers, except where specific rare sorts are wanted with certainty. A package of seeds will grow enough dahlias for the average flower garden. Full cultural directions will be found on the packet.



Elliott's Delphinium



Cactus Dahlia grown from seed



Shirley Foxgloves

- 1136 GYPOPHILA—ELEGANS "CRIMSON GEM" (crimson babybreath)—producing graceful plants of light fairy-like growth covered with dainty flowers of a bright rosy crimson, hardy perennial; 1 foot. Per packet...20e

- 568 CENTAUREA CYANUS DOUBLE, "SILVER QUEEN"

 —A very beautiful double white cornflower which will be highly appreciated for cutting. Annual, 2 feet high. Award of merit R.H.S. of England, 1922. Per packet. 25c
- 1244 LUNARIA—NEW LARGE-FLOWERED CRIMSON-PURPLE—A large handsome variety of the old Honesty, with flowers of a brilliant crimson-purple, followed in Autumn by ornamental seed-pods, valuable when dried for Winter decoration, hardy biennial. Per packet . . . 20e

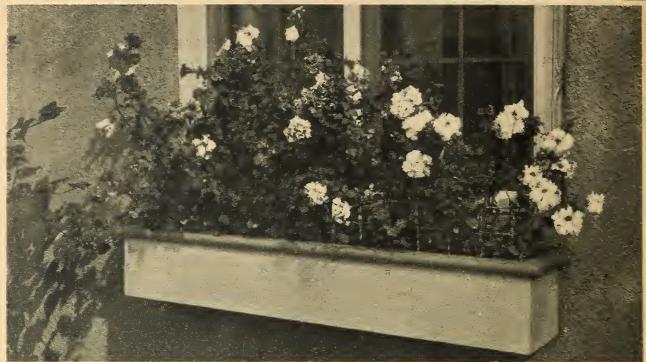
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Karlsruhe Balcony Petunias

and Single-Fringed Petunias in ideal combination

Several years ago, while motoring in Germany, we saw the most beautiful Petunias trained on the iron railings of the balconies of the town hall of Karlsruhe. It was the most effective balcony decoration we had ever seen. There was only one color—a lovely, rich violet-blue, a color never seen in Petunias before. The front of the balconies was a solid sheet of color. Inquiry developed that these remarkable Petunias were being grown by a local specialist. We were unable to obtain any seed until a few years later,

when we got a small quantity.

We tested these Petunias most thoroughly in the greenhouse, in porch-boxes, and in open borders in the garden. In every position they were most successful and beautiful, attracting more attention and admiration than any annual we had in our grounds. We hope all of our customers will try at least one packet of these remarkable Petunias. If only one kind is tried, we suggest the violet-blue as the most distinct and striking; but all colors are effective and lovely. The plants are quite upright in their growth, much more so than other Petunias; and the lovely large flowers are produced in the greatest profusion throughout the Summer and Fall. At this writing, October 29th, these Petunias are still in full bloom. We grow several thousand plants. It should be barely covered. Firm the soil well before sowing, and after sowing sprinkle a little sand over the seed. The seed we offer is perfectly fresh, having been grown in our nursery last summer.

2464	Violet-Blue-Rich color. Per packet	. 25c
2465	Carmine—Dark rich velvety shade. Distinct beautiful. Per packet.	
2466	Pure White. Per packet	. 25c
2467	Rosy Pink. Per packet. Five packets of any or all varieties for \$1.00 Plants of the above may be purchased in May.	. 25c

Elliott's Giant Single-Fringed

Giants of California) All 25c per packet.

A magnificent strain of Petunias. The flowers are very large, beautifully frilled, and of incomparable coloring.

- 1732 Aurora-Rose-pink veined crimson.
- 1733 Fimbriata alba—White with yellow throat.
- 1734 Empress Lavender-Netted violet with black throat.
- 1735 Kermesina—Deep crimson.
- 1736 Miranda-Rosy red with scarlet throat.
- 1737 Quadricolor—Rose, netted carmine, throat blood-red with star-like yellow center.

- 1738 Royal-Purple.
- 1739 The Queen-Rose-pink marked with white, yellow throat.
- 1740 Titania-Royal purple with white edge.
- 1741 Mixed-All colors. Per packet, 25c. 5 packets...\$1.00
- 1742 Single Large-flowering—Mixed. Superb colorings of great variety; not fringed. Per packet25e
- 1743 Giant Double-flowering—Mixed. An excellent strain giving a great percentage of double flowers. Per packet 50c

Single Bedding Varieties

Very popular for sowing in masses outdoors.

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Iceland Poppies

1990 PAPAVER NUDICAULE "TANGERINE"

—A very beautiful variety of Iceland poppy with very large rich orange colored flowers, hardy perennial; 1½ feet high. Per packet 50c

Papaver Orientale

 1787 PENTSTEMON, NEW GIANT STRAIN—A fine improved race of Pentstemon of more erect habit than the older strain and with very large flowers, ranging in colors from bright and rich reds to rose, violet, and white Hardy perennial but needs protection during the winter north of Pennsylvania. Two feet high. Per packet..35c



Iceland Poppies-Semi-Double



Polyanthus (The New Spechley Strain)

1930 POLYANTHUS-PRIMROSE—THE NEW
"SPECHLEY" STRAIN EXTRA SELECTED—A
lovely new strain of Giant-flowered PolyanthusPrimroses raised by the late Mrs. Berkeley, of Spechley Park, Worcester. The plants are of strong robust
dwarf growth and the flowers of immense size, ranging
through a great variety of beautiful colors and art
shades; hardy perennial. Award of Merit R.H.S.
Per packet. 50c

2116 PRIMULA SPECIES—BEAUTIFUL NEW HYBRIDS—Mixed crosses of P. Pulverulenta and Beesiana Bulleyana and Cockburniana, producing a remarkably large range of colors, shades of rose, pink, scarlet, purple, mauve, lilac, coppery red, etc., hardy perennial; 3 feet; lovely plants for rockwork and border. Per packet. 50c

2118 PRIMULA SPECIES — PULVERULENTA "ANNESGROVE HYBRID"—A very beautiful new hybrid, producing up the stem as many as seven whorls of flowers of a lovely rose-vieux shade with large golden centre, a very vigorous grower, hardy perennial; 3 feet. Per packet.....................50c

2025 PYRETHRUM — DOUBLE, FINEST, MIXED HYBRIDS—Saved from a fine collection of the best double named varieties, crimsons, roses, pink, blush, white and cream; 2 ft.; about 60 per cent usually come double. Per packet. 50e



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2128 EXQUISITE—By far the most pleasing of our collection.

the red shades. Flowers often 8 inches in diameter. Plants very vigorous. A marvelous production of extraordinary

merit. Per packet 35c 2430 SCARLET FLAME-A large, beautiful, bright scarlet, with a delightful blending of orange throughout the petals. Per packet

2126 OLD ROSE—This adequately described by its name, as it is of the real Old Rose Shade; it is large, and for charm and beauty we consider it ranks next to Exquisite.

2122 GOLDEN STATE—A very rich orange yellow (Cadmium). Yellow in the bud, turning to an attractive orange when in full bloom. Per packet

2423 GIANT ATTRACTION—A distinct shade of brick red (Spectrum Red) which carries its color well from the bud, and forms into an immense ball of color when in full bloom.

2424 LEMON BEAUTY - This is next to Crimson Monarch in size and form. It may be described as a golden yellow on brown. Decidedly a pastel shade, and should be in every

2131 METEOR - A rich, glowing deep red and the darkest of all the red shades. Fine form, with extra large petals. Very large and producing more

2132 POLAR BEAR—A very large pure white, the best white yet seen in Zinnias. It is of true Dahlia form. Per packet. 35c

2127 DREAM -A fine deep lavender, turning to purple as the flower ages. It retains its fine color until the end. A new, desirable shade in Zinnias. packet

2433 ORIOLE—We consider this the most beautiful of its class. It is an immense orange and gold bicolor, changing slightly as it ages, but at all times worthy of the beautiful bird for which it is named.

Seed very scarce. Per packet 35c 2434 SPECIAL MIXTURE—A well blended mixture of fine colors. 14 oz. \$2.00. Per packet 25c

Zinnia Picotee Type

- 2409 LA FRANCE-A beautiful soft pink, each petal dis-
- tinctly tipped with bronze. Per packet 2412 GOLDEN_PHEASANT—Gold ground tipped with maroon. Per packet 25c
- 2414 CHOICE MIXED COLORS—Ranging from white to scarlet and including all new varieties. Per packet 25c. JA OZ





Spencer Sweet Peas Apple Blossom and Asta Ohn

GIANT SPENCER SWEET PEAS

Many flowers of exquisite beauty require exquisite care, both in planting and cultivating. The ever popular Sweet Peas are a notable exception. Their highest development came in the historic English garden of the Earl and Countess Spencer, whence came the name Countess Spencer. From this line have descended, or ascended, the noted Giant Spencer Sweet Peas, admired and loved in many lands.

No flowers brought into a room transform it more quickly than a bowl of freshly-cut Sweet Peas. They are radiant in their combined delicacy and beauty, with their striking variety of brilliant and pale colors.

One ounce will sow about 25 feet in a single line.

2070 *PRIZE MIXTURE OF SPENCER SWEET PEAS

This beautiful mixture contains 75 varieties of Spencers which are representative of all the hundreds of varieties in existence. It includes all the best standard varieties and all the latest novelties. Per oz., 25c; per packet, 10c; 1/4 lb., 90c; 1 lb., \$3.25

EXTRA FINE VARIETIES

2036 *AFTERGLOW -- Violet-blue.

2037 AMERICA—Striped brilliant carmine-red over white 2038 *APPLE BLOSSOM—Banner lovely bright rose; wings creamy blush.

2039 ASTA OHN-The best lavender Spencer: exquisite rosy lavender tinged-mauve

2040 *AURORA—Striped bright orange-rose on white 2043 *CAPTAIN OF THE BLUES—Banner maroon-purple wings magenta-purple.

2044 *COUNTESS—The original grand pink Spencer

2047 FLORENCE MORSE—Soft blush-pink, flushed deeper toward the edge.

2048 FLORENCE NIGHTINGALE—Beautiful lavender

2049 GEORGE HERBERT—Salmon-rose

2050 HELEN LEWIS-Very large fine orange-rose, wings orange-salmon.

2051 *HERCULES—The giant among the Spencers. Immense flowers of clear rose-pink.

2052 KING EDWARD VII—Bright crimson-scarlet. A fine

2053 *KING WHITE-A flower of perfect finish in every detail and of glistening immaculate whiteness

2051 OTHELLO—Rich, deep maroon.

2055 MARTHA WASHINGTON—A lovely blush white veiled

with rosy pink deepening into a Tyrian rose

2056 PRIMROSE—Soft, pale yellow.
2057 QUEEN ALEXANDRA—Bright scarlet.
2059 *ROBERT SUYDENHAM—Glowing orange throughout. A magnificent and distinct color. Extra fine in every way

2060 STERLING STENT—Deep salmon-pink, suffused with fiery orange

2061 *VERMILION BRILLIANT—Scarlet throughout Any of the above varieties, per packet, 10c; oz., 30c; 1/4 lb., \$1.00 postpaid. 1 lb., \$3.50



Spencer Sweet Pea Florence Morse

General Descriptive List of Best Flower Seeds



Abyssum Little Gem

ACROCLINIUM, EVERLASTING

This is a pretty "everlasting" annual, bearing Daisy-like flowers; height about 15 inches; if cut in the bud state and dried, the flowers can be used in Winter bouquets. Sow seeds outdoors when all danger of frost is past.

21 DOUBLE MIXED—Per packet 10c
22 SINGLE MIXED—Per packet 5c
AGROSTEMMA

AMARANTHUS

These are decorative foliage plants of great value. Being annuals, they can be sown outdoors, or started early inside and transplanted out later.

ANTIRRHINUM (Snapdragon)

The colors are radiant with feeling, blending all the dainty fine hues with a passionate crimson that actually seems to throb with emotion. No flowergarden is complete without these; and no persuasion is necessary to induce the owner of a garden to cultivate them. They belong to the inner circle of genuine friends, tested by time and permanently loved. A very pretty effect is made by blending the tall and the semi-dwarf. Half-hardy perennials.

ALYSSUM

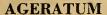
A most popular annual for edging or rockwork; very fragrant. Sow in open ground when frost is past.

- 46 *Little Gem—Dwarf, compact habit and profuse bloomer, lasting a long time in bloom. Extra good for edging beds of other flowers. ½ oz., 50c; per packet 10c
- 47 Maritimum (Sweet Alyssum)—Very fragrant; ½ oz., 25c; per packet....5c



Antirrhinum (Snapdragon)

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97	Giant Scarlet—Per packet
	Giant White—Per packet
	Giant Yellow—Per packet 10c
	Giant Pink—Per packet 10c
	Giant Mixed— $\frac{1}{4}$ oz., 25c; per packet
	Large-flowering—Semi-dwarf, mixed colors. 1/4 oz., 25c;
	Per packet



A very popular, Summer-bedding annual plant; stands hot weather well and produces large clusters of small feather-like flowers in great profusion; popular for edgings. Seed is usually started in hotbed and transplanted outdoors in May.

- 32 *Little Blue Star-Miniature bushes covered with clusters of flowers opening light blue with purple center and developing to a bright blue. Height 5 to 6 inches; fine for edgings, bedding, or pots. Half-hardy annual. Per packet...25c

 33 *Blue Perfection—Large trusses; deep blue. Height 9 inches. Per packet.......10c

 34 Mauve Beauty—Very free-flowering, compact bushes. Large mauve flowers. Per packet, 10c
- 35 Snowball—Large trusses with pure white
 - ANTHEMIS
- 115 Kelwayi—A handsome perennial, height 2 feet, bearing Daisy-like blossoms of golden yellow; excellent for cutting. Per packet......10c
 - **ARABIS**
- 142 Alpina (Rock Cress)-An early Spring-flowering perennial of dwarf habit, attaining a height of 6 inches; suitable for edging or rockeries; produces an abundance of pure white blossoms;





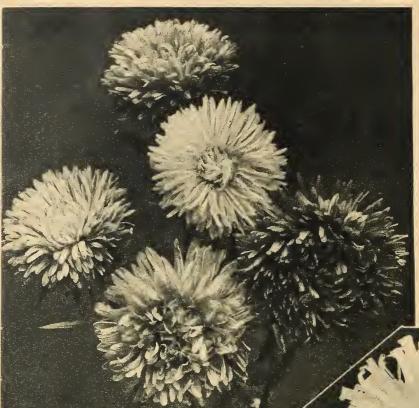
AQUILEGIA (Columbine)

A most popular hardy perennial, easily grown and blooming early; good for cutting. Sow seed in the open ground in Spring; the plants like moisture and partial shade. A sowing can also be made in August and September.

- 120 Chrysantha-Long-spurred, large golden-yellow flowers.

- long spurred flowers. A grand strain containing a great variety of colors from pure white, blush, pink, and rose to scarlet; from pale and dark blues to rich yellow. Will give great satisfaction. A valuable cut-flower. Per packet ACHILLEA
- 1 Ptarmica-The Pearl. A fine, tall, erect-growing perennial plant. Height 2 feet. Produces bunches of double white flowers on strong stems. Fine for cutting. Per packet ARNEBIA
- 162 Cornuta—A fine, large, bushy annual. 2 feet tall. Blooms profusely all Summer. Flowers are ¾-inch across, of a rich primrose-yellow marked with five black spots which change the second day to maroon and disappear on the third day, leaving the flower a clear bright yellow. Per packet..... ARGEMONE
- 172 Grandiflora hybrida—The new, large-flowering Prickly Poppy. Forms branching plants 3 feet tall, 18 inches in diameter, and is continuously covered with Poppy-like flowers of white, cream, primrose and yellow. Foliage grayish green with silvery veins. Likes a sunny situation. Grows quickly from seed and is recommended for borders. Per packet
- ARTEMISIA 182 Sacrorum viride (Summer Fir)—A beautiful ornamental foliage plant growing 3 to 5 feet tall, when developed, looks like a perfectly shaped Christmas tree. The finely pin-nated foliage is of a rich dark-green. Stands heat and drought remarkably well. Branches when cut will last very long and can be used for wreaths, decorations, etc. Per packet......10c





ASTERS

Asters make long visits, coming early in the Summer and remaining till late in September; and when the frost is tardy, they linger until October. They do not wither quickly when cut to decorate the home, but with a little care may be enjoyed for days before they fade. This adds to their features of delicate tint and strong vigorous color, making them one of the familiar and indispensable flowers in almost every garden. However, there are very many Asters, so that one can choose from a large family.

In reading the list below you will see how varied and complete the stock is.

ASTER, PERENNIAL

285 *New large-flowering choice mixed from finest named sorts. The most beautiful hardy Asters may be grown from this mixture. Per packet..........25c

*GIANT AMERICAN BRANCHING ASTERS

Aster, American Branching Mixed

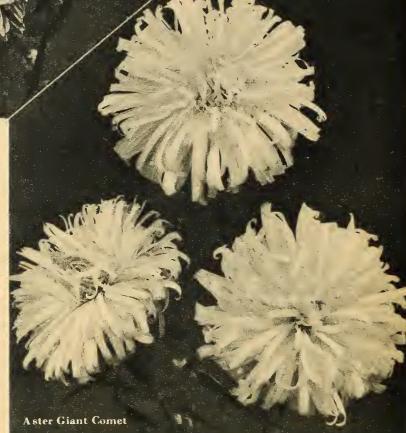
Without exception the finest variety of Aster grown; should have a place in every garden. Flowers are very large, borne on long, stiff stems; excellent for cutting; very floriferous on account of the branching growth; height 21% feet

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223 White—Per packet	.10c
	.10c
225 Rose—Per packet	10c
	10c
226 Crimson—Per packet	. 10c
	10c
228 Dark Blue-Per packet	10c
229 Mixed—Per packet, 10c; 1/4 oz	
LOWER CONTROL	

ASTER, GIANT COMET Height 18 Inches

Distinct and beautiful, the flowers having elegantly curled petals, like a Japanese Chrysanthemum. Very attractive in flower beds and borders, while as a cut flower it is universally admired.

235 Collection of Six Beautiful Colors—40c 242 Choice Mixture of Shades. 10c



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SINGLE CHINESE ASTERS

A most beautiful race of Asters. Flowers large and elegant, borne on long, graceful stems. Very fine for table decorations.

270 Lavender.

271 General Joffre, fine bright crimson. 272 Dark Blue. 274 Snow White. 273 Deep Rose. 275 Mixed, all colors.

Price per packet of all varieties, 15e.

QUEEN OF THE MARKET ASTERS—EARLY

One of the most popular and really the best Aster for early blooming; branching habit; usually in bloom two to three weeks earlier than any others. The flowers are large, very full, and beautifully formed, being between the stiffpetaled kinds and the fluffy, very much incurved and twisted sorts. Height 15 inches.

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206 White-Per packet		.10c
207 Crimson—Per packet		. 10e
208 Searlet-Per packet		.10c
209 Rose—Per packet		10e
210 Light Blue-Per packet		10c
211 Dark Blue-Per packet		10c
212 Mixed. 1/4 oz. 25c. Per	packet	t 10e

IMPERIAL OR DAYBREAK ASTERS

The best Aster for bedding. A comparatively new Aster of American origin. As a bedding Aster, in our climate it has no equal. The plants grow upright and bushy, producing a profusion of very durable flowers of excellent substance and lasting quality.

247 Mixed—Per packet 10e

KING ASTERS

These are a distinct class in themselves. They are of a branching habit. The flowers, which are borne on stiff stems about 12 inches long, are quilled somewhat and folded lengthwise; very double, the center being nicely incurved.

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275	Violet—Per packet
	Lavender-Per packet 10e
	Rose—Per packet
209	Nose rei packet
260	White—Per packet 10e

#### **ASTER**

230 Chrysanthemum-flowered. In size of flower and habit of plant this surpasses all other dwarf varieties. The flowers are chrysanthemum-shaped, 15 to 20 in a cluster. 9 to 12 inches in height. Choicest mixed colors. Per packet







Double Balsam

#### CINERARIA

This is one of the most brilliant, showy greenhouse plants in cultivation. If only one sowing is required, July is the best, but seed can be sown any time from May to September for a succession. When the seedlings are large enough to handle, showing the second leaf well, pot up into small pots and repot as they grow until they are finally placed in pots in which they are to flower. Best grown in a coldframe; make the final potting when bringing them into the greenhouse. Water occasionally with liquid manure when the plants develop the flowerbuds; and never let them get dry. Our strains are the very best procurable.

688	Hybrids	grandiflora—Mixed.	Per packet	. 35c
689	Hybrida	stellata, Tall-Mixed	star-shaped flowers.	Per
	packet.			.25c

#### BALSAM (Lady's Slipper)

One stalk of Double Balsam is like an old-fashioned bouquet, itself,—a bunch of flowers crowded into a tall, slender vase. The variety of colors gives the aspect of various distinct flowers bound close together for adorning a room. In this variety in unity, the familiar Lady's Slipper is unique. It appears to be a requisite in the minds of so many flower-lovers that our friends need only to be reminded that we carry the seeds which give the garden this flowering beauty.

303 *ELLIOTT'S IMPROVED DOUBLE PRIZE STRAIN— Splendid Mixed—Flowers very large and fully double, of very beautiful and brilliant varied colors. Per packet. 15c

#### BALSAM, CAMELLIA-FLOWERED

304 Light Pink	310 Mixed	307	Salmo
305 White	Per packet10c	308	Yellow
306 Crimson	-	309	Scarlet

#### BARTONIA

333 Aurea (Golden Bartonia)—A very showy annual, native of California. It bears a profusion of golden-yellow flowers all Summer long, measuring nearly 3 inches across. As it does best in a moist situation, plant it in masses so that the foliage will protect the soil from the hot sun, thus preventing drying out. Per packet.

#### **BEGONIA**

The varieties described below are easily and quickly grown from seed. They are dwarf-growing and small-flowered, excellent for edging borders and beds. Also used for pot culture; will bloom nicely in the conservatory during the Winter.

320	Erfordia—Rosy-carmine. Per packet	25c
321	Gracilis Luminosa—Fiery scarlet; reddish brown folia	ge.
	Per packet.	
322	Vernon—Deep scarlet, with bronze foliage. Per packet 1	15c
323	Mixed—Splendid colors. Per packet	20c

#### BELLIS (English Daisy)

A choice little perennial which, if covered during the Winter with leaves or straw, will stand the cold. Easily raised from seed. Sowings can be made from early Spring till August Used principally for edging beds, borders, or in rockeries.

343	Double	Rose -Per	r packet	c
344	Double	White-Per	r packet	c
345	Double	Mixed-Per	r packet	c

#### BRACHYCOME (Swan River Daisy)

A dwarf-growing annual, very floriferous, producing daisylike flowers in various colors. Sow outdoors when all danger of frost is past

### 355 Choice Mixture of colors—Per packet .......5c

#### BROWALLIA

#### **CALCEOLARIA**

422 Elliott's Choicest Prize Varieties—A unique plant for greenhouse, conservatory, or window decoration, producing a gorgeous display of blossoms during Spring and Summer. Colors are yellow, maroon, white, orange, primrose, etc., spotted and blotched in a very artistic manner. A strain as good as this is seldom sold in America. Per packet....75c

#### COLEUS

A very ornamental bedding plant with beautiful. colored foliage; can be grown in the house also. It is a greenhouse perennial but can be grown to perfection the first season from seed. Sow early indoors in a moist warm atmosphere and transplant when the ground and weather are suitable.





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## CAMPANULA (Canterbury Bells)

These are so popular that we need hardly say much about them. Being biennials, their seed can also be sown any time from June to September for the following year's blooming. Protect the first Winter with leaves or straw. No lover of flowers should be without some Canterbury Bells in his garden, so fine is their show.

442 Calycanthema (Cup and Saucer), Rose-Per pack	cet10c
443 Calycanthema, Blue—Per packet	10c
444 Calycanthema, White—Per packet	10c
445 Calycanthema, Mixed—Per packet	10c
446 Medium, Single, Rose—Per packet	10c
447 Medium, Single, Blue-Per packet	10c
448 Medium, Single, White—Per packet	10e
449 Medium, Single, Mixed—Per packet	10c
450 Medium Double, Calycanthema and Single	vari-
eties. Mixed.—Per packet	100

#### CLARKIA

A very pretty annual of easy culture; should be grown more extensively, as it is worthy of a place in every garden; it likes partial shade. Sow outdoors in early Spring in beds; suitable for borders in groups, useful for cutting.

663	Double Pure White—Per packet	10c
665	Double Queen Mary, lovely rose carmine-	Per
	packet	10c
666	Double Scarlet Queen Orange scarlet. Very strik	ing.
	Per packet	10c
667	*Beautiful mixture of fine new shades—Per packet	10c

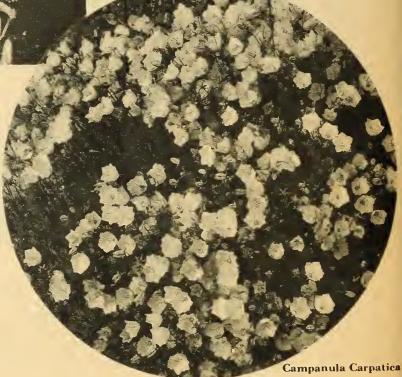
Campanula Medium

#### PERENNIAL CAMPANULA

If sown early, some will bloom the first season; the tall varieties make fine cut-flower plants, while the dwarf sorts make excellent border plants. They like rich, sandy soil.

160 Carpatica (Harebell). Blue. Very free-flowering remaining in bloom nearly all Summer; good for edging.

packet 25c
462 Persicifolia grandiflora. One of the
best; height 2 to 3 feet; large blue bells.
Per packet 25c



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Centaurea Imperialis Sweet Sultau

#### CENTAUREA CYANUS

(CORNFLOWER)

The Centaurea Cyanus is one of the most popular annual Summer flowers. It is easily grown by sowing seed in the open ground and usually reseeds itself, coming up year after year. The Imperialis variety, when once grown, will always be grown; lasts a long time when cut; extra-large blooming variety. Excellent double flowering.

569	*Donble Blue. Per packet	 .10c
570	Double White—Per packet.	 .10c
571	Donble Rose. Per packet	 . 10c
<b>5</b> 73	Double Mixed Colors—Per packet	 <b>5</b> c

#### **IMPERIALIS**

## (IMPERIAL SWEET SULTAN)

The finest of all both in size and fragrance.

583 White—Per packet
581 Rose—Per packet. 10c
585 Phrple—Per packet
586 Mixed—12 oz., 10c: per packet
VARIOUS CENTAUREAS WELL WORTH GROWING
596 Americana—A splendid, tall-growing, native variety
flowers of immense size: lilac-purple. Per packet 10c
597 Suaveolens (The Yellow Sweet Snltan)-Very popular.
Per packet5c
598 Moschata Mixed (Sweet Sultan)—Per packet5c
599 *Candidissima—Sow the seed of this variety early indoors
and transplant in May. This has beautiful, silver foliage.
and is used as an edging. Per packet
<b>600 Gymnocarpa</b> —A very graceful variety with silvery grav
leaves; excellent as an edging plant. Per packet 10e

Chinese Lantern Plant-See Physalis.

#### **CELOSIA**

#### CRISTATA (CRESTED COCKSCOMB)

This is an annual of easy culture. Sow seeds indoors and transplant later; or they may be sown outdoors. Suitable for borders or pots.

#### PLUMOSA (PLUMED COCKSCOMB)

- 546 Thompsonii magnifica—Yellow.Height 3 feet.Per 10cpackage10c547 Thompsonii magnifica—Crimson.Height 3 feet.Per 10cpacket.10c548 Thompsonii magnifica—Mixed.Height 3 feet.Per package







#### **CHRYSANTHEMUM**

#### ANNUAL VARIETIES

These are very showy annuals comprising a great variety of colors. They are not to be mistaken for the large Japanese varieties one sees in the florists' windows, being quite different. Sow seeds outdoors and thin out seedlings to about 8 to 10 inches apart.

629	Northern Star	10c
630	Coronarium, Double White-Per packe	t5c
631	Coronarium, Double Yellow-	Per
	packet	.5e
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#### PERENNIAL CHRYSANTHEMUMS

Hardy Border Carnation

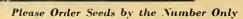


#### **CARNATIONS**

These are sown under glass in the Spring, or can be sown outside later as soon as all danger of frost is past and the ground is warm. They are great favorites on account of their fragrance and their qualities as cut-flowers.

- 510 *Giant Marguerite, Mixed. Extra-large flowers: very fragrant. The best for the garden. Per packet .......................20c
- 511 White
- 512 Deep Crimson
- 513 Searlet
- 516 Chabaud's Early-Blooming. A celebrated strain; blooms in six months from seed Excellent Per packet 25c

Castor-Oil Plant. See Ricinus.







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#### Cosmos

Cosmos, as the name suggests, belongs to the universe and has ardent lovers in every land. The plants are almost prodigal in their lavish outlay of bloom. Whether early or late, in the garden or in a vase, they are in keeping with the most delicate and cultivated taste. Wherever found, they suggest the same refinement both in color and form. The early-blooming should be supplemented with the late-flowering if the long season is to be honored throughout with the presence of these gentle little visitors.

#### *ANEMONE-FLOWERED Semi-double, very beautiful

776 Pink Beauty-Per packet

	Title Deathby & C. pachec	· AIN
777	Crimson King—Per packet	.15c
778	White Queen-Per packet	.15c
	All colors—Mixed. Per packet	
	EXTRA-EARLY FLOWERING	
784	White—Per packet.	.10c
785	Pink—Per packet	.10c
	Crinison—Per packet	
787	Mixed—Per packet	.10c
	MAMMOTH LATE	
797	White—Per packet.	.10c
798	Pink (Lady Lenox)—Per packet	.10c
799	Crimson—Per packet	.10c
800	Mixed—Per packet.	.10c
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Cosmos Lady Lenox

Coreopsis

Coreopsis Grandiflora

752 *Grandiflora (Perennial Calliopsis) Almost without exception this plant is the best value as a cut-flower in cultivation, having fine. long stems; lasts a long time cut. A perennial, but if sown early indoors in the Spring will bloom the first year. Has large, bright-yellow flowers; the best of all. Per 

## Candytuft

A most popular annual which is seen in nearly every garden. Looks best massed in beds or in thick rows in borders. Splendid for cutting. Sow in the open in April. Height 1 foot.

474 Empress—The finest white variety. ½ 02., 30c. Per packet . . . . 10c 477 Mixed—Oz., 40c. Per packet . . 10c 478 *Rose-Cardinal — A very rich strik-

ing color; quite distinct. Per packet 10c







488	Gibraltariea—A very showy, large-growing variety with
	red and rosy-white flowers. Hardy perennial. Per
	packet
489	Sempervirens—A lovely hardy variety completely covered
	with heads of white flowers in the spring; 1 foot. Per
	packet
	DELPHINIUM (Perennial Larkspur)
908	*Belladonna—One of the prettiest in cultivation; clear
	turquoise-blue; an almost perpetual bloomer. Per
	packet
909	Chinense-A compact variety, making loose sprays of
	gentian-blue flowers. Per packet
910	Chinese album - A white variety of the above. Per
	packet
911	Elatum (Bee Larkspur Rich blue, dark center; 4 feet.
	Per packet
912	Formosum-Brilliant blue, with white center. Per
	packet10e
013	Formosum coelestinum-Pale blue, with white center.
71.17	Por package

PERENNIAL VARIETIES OF CANDYTUFT

DIANTHUS, OR PINKS

The Dianthus family in all its varieties is a popular garden flower. Pinks are especially of exceptional value for cutting and fragrance: they have few rivals. Seed may be sown outdoors as soon as all danger of frost is past. The biennial varieties survive the Winter with a little protection, but Plumarius is perfectly hardy.

perfectly hardy.

934 Chinese Double—Mixed; produces clusters of fine, double-flowers in a great variety of color. Per packet 10e

935 Japanese Double—Mixed; beautiful colors Per packet 10e

936 Japanese Double—Fireball, dark scarlet, very double. Per packet.

937 Japanese Double—White. Per packet.

10e

DAHLIA
(See Novelties) on Page 9
851 Double large-flowering—From named varieties. Per packet. Per 25c
852 Single Giant-flowering—Per packet. 25c
853 Double-flowering—Good mixed. Per packet 15c
DIANTHUS
939 Japanese Single, Punetatus (Princess Pinks)—Beauti-
ful colors, with fringed edges. Per packet10c
HARDY GARDEN PINKS (Clove-secreted)
949 Pheasant's Eye—Single; fringed; mixed. Per packet. 10c
950 Plumarius Double—Mixed; double hardy pinks. Per
Packet 10c
Packet
double, mixed. Per packet
952 Plumarius flpl. Seoticus—Very hardy; double; 1 foot;
very strongly perfumed. Seed very scarce. Per packet .50c
953 *Single Annual—Ruffled and frilled. The gorgeously
colored blossoms range from deep blood-red to salmon,
pink, and white: beautifully ruffled and frilled, lending
immensely to their gracefulness. The plants are bushy,
1 foot tall and flower abundantly Summer and Fall. Can-

#### DIGITALIS (Foxglove)

A hardy perennial for planting among shrubbery and in half-shady places. Sow seed in Spring or July and August and transplant where desired; or it can be sown where the plants are to remain.

Gloxinioides—This is the finest species, bearing beautifully spotted, large flowers.

not be equalled for cut-flowers. Per packet ... 10c

	runy spotted, large noncrs.	
	Purple—Per packet	
885	Rose—Per packet	10c
886	White—Per packet	I0c
887	Mixed—Per packet	I0c





Eschscholtzia (Cal. Poppy)

#### Geranium

1085 ZONALE—MIXED—An interesting plant to grow from seed by sowing early in the house and planting out as soon as the plants are well in the second leaf, but not before the end of May. Best varieties. Per packet..40c

#### Geum

#### Globe Amaranth

This is a well-known everlasting annual flower, easily grown. The blooms are cut before fully open, hung up and dried. Often called "Bachelor's Buttons."

1100	Flesh-color—Per packet	5c
1101	Purple—Per packet	5c
1102	White—Per packet	5c
1103	Mixed—Per packet	5c

#### Gaillardia (Blanket Flower)

Both the annual and perennial Gaillardias are very popular,
being bright and showy and of great value as cut-flowers.
1059 Picta—Single; mixed; annual. Fine, brilliant colors.
Per packet
1060 Lorenziana—Double; mixed. Annual exquisite, double-
flowering strain. ¼ oz., 25c. Per packet
1065*Grandiflora—Newest perennial. Varieties mixed. One
of the most showy hardy plants for the garden. Per

packet......10c

## Eschscholtzia (California Poppy)

Poppies never lose their strange charm for us; each season they are wanted again as an indispensable in a well-ordered garden. Even those gardeners who only border their vegetable plants with narrow boundaries of bloom want Poppies to brighten these margins. Placed above a little path or in large informal masses, the California Poppy is equally beautiful. The following varieties offer most interesting and attractive selections.

1004	CALIFORNICA—Yellow. Rich yellow. Per packet.	10c
	CALIFORNICA—White. Creamy white. Per packet	
	MANDARIN—Red and orange; beautiful. Per packet	
	ROSE QUEEN—Beautiful rose-carmine. Per packet	
	DAINTY QUEEN—Delicate pale pink. Per packet	
1009	*HYBRIDA GRANDIFLORA—Mixed, extra fine.	Per
	packet	10e

#### **Euphorbia**

1029 VARIEGATA (Snow-on-the-Mountain)—Very ornamental annual, grown for the pretty foliage, as the flowers are insignificant. Green foliage, veined and margined white. Per packet 5c FEVERFEW.—See Matricaria. FORGET-ME-NOT. See Myosotis.

## Dimorphoteca (African Golden Daisy)

983 *AURANTIACA HYBRIDA—A very showy annual from South Africa; will grow well in any situation; likes plenty of sun. The flowers are Daisy-like of different shades of glistening salmon-orange, yellow and white and are borne in profusion on compact, bushy plants; height about 1 foot; of great value and very showy. Per packet 10c



Double Gaillardia





#### Helianthus (Sunflower) Miniature Grandiflora

## Four-O'Clock (Marvel of Peru)

## Gypsophila (Baby's Breath)

A popular, free-growing plant with very graceful, delicate flowers and foliage; used for mixing with other cut-flowers to give a soft effect.

#### **Annual Varieties**

		GRANDIFLORA ALDA—Large; winte.
	Per packet.	
1138	ELEGANS	GRANDIFLORA—Rose. Soft pink. Per
	packet	
1139	ELEGANS	GRANDIFLORA—Carmine. Per packet. 5c

#### **Perennial Varieties**

	PANICULATA—White flowers; fine for bouquets.	
	packet	10c
1150	packet	ove.
	Per packet	25c

#### Godetia

An attractive, hardy annual; does well in the shade; forms a nice bush about 1 foot tall, with flowers of very bright colors. Sow in the open when danger of frost is past.

1111	3 CRIMSON	GLOW—Beautiful	dark - crimson.	Per
	packet		<b></b>	.10c
111	DUCHESS	OF ALBANY—Pure	white Pernacke	t 10a
111	DUCHESS	OF ALBANI — Tule	wille. Tel packe	100
1111	5 ROSAMON	D—Shell-pink. Per p	acket	. IUC
1116	6 MIXED-A	ll colors. 1/4 oz., 20c.	Per packet	5c

## Helianthus (Sunflower)

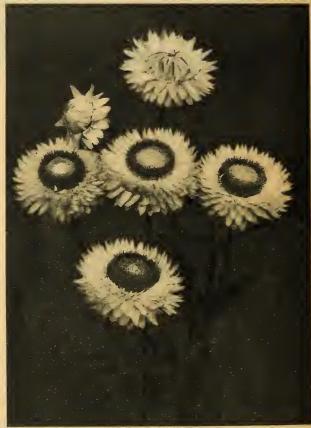
The single Sunflowers are very useful cut-flowers. Sow seed in the open ground in April or May. The Miniature varieties, are especially fine grouped in borders and for cutting.

1174	MINIATURE						
	golden yellow,						
1 -	form and color	. Per	packe	t	 	 ٠	15c

## Helichrysum (Straw Flower)

A very popular annual flower on account of its ever-lasting properties. Flowers intended for drying should be cut when partly open and suspended with the heads down. The plants should be not less than 1 foot apart to allow them to develop properly.

1198	SALMON—Per packet	.10c
	SCARLET—Per packet	
1200	VIOLET—Per packet	. 10c
1201	WHITE—Per packet	. 10c
	CRIMSON—Per packet	
1203	ROSE—Per packet	.100
1204	ALL COLORS—Mixed. Per packet	. 10c



Helichrysum (Strawflower)





## Heliopsis

#### Heliotrope

An old-fashioned, half-hardy perennial which is very popular as a Summer bedding plant; it can be grown in a greenhouse also, giving the house a delightful perfume. Sow seed early indoors; by doing so you will have good plants for Summer blooming.

1214 *GIANT-FLOWERING—Mixed; very robust

## Hesperis Matronalis (Sweet Rocket)

 1224 PURPLE—Per packet
 5c

 1225—WHITE—Per packet
 5c

#### Heuchera



Hunnemannia (Tulip Poppy)

#### Hunnemannia

1301—FUMARIAEFOLIA—(Giant Tulip Poppy; Bush Eschscholtzia)—Although this is a perennial, it is treated as an annual. Sow it indoors early in Spring; it will bloom the end of July. It forms a nice bush, about 2½ feet tall, bearing large, rich yellow, Poppy-like flowers lasting in water a long time. Per packet...10c

#### Honesty (Lunaria biennis)

**Impatiens** 

1311 HOLSTII HYBRIDS—This plant originated in East Africa. It is unusually pretty in flowerbeds, as it blooms abundantly from June until frost. The flowers are 1½ to 1¾ inches across, of scarlet, pink orange-red. and white with dark eye. Should be sown indoors in March or April and planted out in May. Per packet.. 25e







## Hollyhock 1270

ANNUAL EVERBLOOM-ING. This is a most welcome addition to the garden, for the old favorite Hollyhock only blooms the second season from seed. The plants are often Winter-killed and therefore have a limited cultivation. Hollyhocks may now be enjoyed by everybody, as our annual variety blooms the first season from seed. Plants from early sowings may be set out in May and will bloom in July. Those sown in the open ground will bloom in August. In either case, they bloom profusely until frost. The plants are of vigorous growth and branching habit. The center stalks grow from 8 to 10 feet tall if not pinched. It may be kept at any desired height by pinching; and when pinched when 3 to 4 feet tall, the side branches will develop, thus forming a bush. The flowers are of great variety, both in type and coloring. Some are double, some semi-double, others single and fringed. Their colors range from the deepest maroon to the daintiest pink and pure white, while some have a charming combination of colors. We offer this variety only in mixed colors. Per packet ..... 10c

#### HOLLYHOCK

This is one of the most popular hardy plants in cultivation; gives an effect to a garden that no other plant does. It is, without exception, the best plant for grouping among shrubbery or furnishing a background for other plants in a border. Seed sown in the Spring will give excellent, strong plants for blooming the following year. Requires protection, such as covering with leaves or straw the first Winter. We offer the very best strain procurable, which is, without doubt, Chater's.

Strain procurable, which is, without doubt, Chatch s.	
1255 Double—White. Per packet	0
1256 Double—Rose. Per packet	0
1257 Double—Crimson. Per packet	D
1258 Double—Scarlet. Per packet	0
1259 Double—Yellow. Per packet	0
1260 Double—Maroon. Per packet	0
1263 Newport—Pink. Per packet	0
1261 Double—Mixed. Extra choice. Per packet 10	D ₀
1265 Single—Mixed. Extra choice. Per packet. 10	Ð.

1266 Single, Allegheny—Mixed; petals beautifully laced and fringed; of very robust growth and extra-large flowers.

Per packet. 10e

KOCHIA

1355 Tricophylla (Summer Cypress)—A very good annual, easily grown from seed sown thinly in the Spring. It makes a nice hedge or can be grown as specimen on a lawn. Its color is light green, with finely cut leaves; in late Summer and Fall it becomes a deep red. Grows about 2½ to 3 feet tall in good soil. Per packet ... 10c

LANTANA

This is a very fine greenhouse plant, or can be used for bedding out in Summer; it is a continuous bloomer and makes trusses of bloom similar to the Verbena, but of a varied assortment of colors, ranging from orange to rose. Sow seed early, say February or March, in the house.

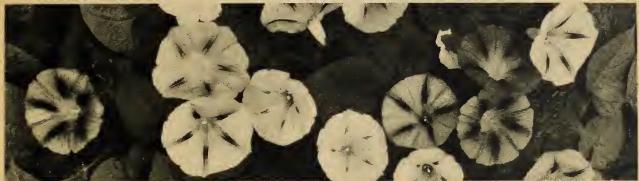
1375 Mixed Hybrids—Per packet. 10c





Morning Glories

## A collection of Annual and Perennial Climbers



BALLOON VINE
205 A quick-growing, annual climber; likes light soils. Flowers
are white; seed-vessels similar to small balloons; pretty
foliage. Per packet50
BRYONOPSIS
375 Laciniosa—A good annual climber of the gourd species:
ivy-like, green foliage; bears green fruits which change to
bright scarlet with white stripe. Height, 10 feet. Per
packet
CANARY-BIRD VINE (Tropaeolum canariense)
432 A very pretty annual climber, with canary-yellow blos-
soms, very popular. Per packet
COBAEA SCANDENS (Cup-and-Saucer Vine)
A popular, very rapid-growing climber, attaining a height
of from 20 to 30 feet in a season, covered with large, bell-shaped
lowers. Suitable for covering arbors, walls, or trunks of trees.
Start seed indoors early, say about March, and cover lightly.
709 WHITE—Per packet
7I0—PURPLE—Per packet
CYPRESS VINE (Ipomoea Quamoclit)
This is a very popular annual climber, attaining a height of
about 15 feet.
842 MIXED COLORS—Per packet5c
CONVOLVULUS MAJOR (Common Morning-Glory)
Very popular, rapid-growing vine, 15 feet, covered with
lelicately colored flowers; will grow in any situation; of easy
ultivation.
730 TALL—Mixed. Single flowers, all colors. Per packet 5c
731 DOUBLE-FLOWERING—All colors. Per packet . 10c
732 DWARF, MIXED—These grow only 1 foot tall and make
a very showy bed, remaining in bloom a long time. Per
For other varieties of Morning-Glories see Ipomoea.

A very rapid-growing, annual climber, attaining a growth of from 20 to 30 feet in a season. The foliage is very ornamental, of thick growth, splendid for covering verandas, trellises, etc. Provides good shade and is not affected by insects of any kind. 1290 *JAPONICUS—The green-leaved variety. Per packet. 5c 1291 JAPONICUS VARIEGATUS—Beautiful, silvery variegated leaves; very ornamental. Per packet. . . . . . 5c

IPOMOEA (Moonflower, Morning-Glory)
Chmbers of very rapid growth, used for covering old tree

stumps, trellises and arbors.

1321 BONA NOX (Evening Glory). Beautiful, large, rosy

lilac flowers, opening in the evening. Per packet . . . 10c
1322 MEXICANA GRANDIFLORA ALBA. The giant
white Moonflower, very fragrant; opens after nightfall and
remains open on cloudy days. Per packet . . . . . 10c
1323 *RUBRA CAERULEA (Heavenly blue). The special
charm of this bloom is its ethereal blue. Only a few

1325 QUAMOCLIT HYBRIDA—(Cardinal climber). This is a hybrid that combines the virtues of its two ancestral lines. The vine grows so rapidly and yet so rugged that it is not easily broken. The flowers form in clusters of a brilliant cardinal which suggests the name they bear. Per packet.

1326 PARNESE MORNING CLORES

IMPERIAL JAPANESE MORNING-GLORIES

1335 *MIXED—These are, beyond all doubt, the finest of all the Morning-Glories. They are easily grown and in beautiful colors and size of flowers have no equal. Ounce, 35c. Per packet. 10c

KUDZU VINE (Pueraria)

1365 THUNBERGIANS—A Japanese perennial climber of very rapid growth, producing large, bold leaves of bright green which make a fine shade. It is a delightful thing for covering dead trees and for veranda or trellis. Flowers small and purple. Being a perennial, it attains a height of only about 8 feet the first year from seed, but when established grows 50 feet in one season. Per packet . 10c

LATHYRUS LATIFOLIUS (Everlasting Pea)
A very showy perennial climber, suitable for covering old stumps, fences, etc. The flowers are not fragrant.

1422 MIXED—Per packet 10c

1423 *WHITE PEARL—Magnificent trusses of large, snow-

A peculiar climbing vine, with ornamental foliage and fruits. The fruits are golden-yellow, warted, and open when ripe, showing the seed and the bright red interior.

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## Larkspur

#### (ANNUAL DELPHINIUM)

A very popular annual, ornamental and of graceful habit. Has a very fine, fern-like foliage; the flower-spikes are tall and erect, on good, strong stems, fine for cutting. Makes a nice bed or is very effective dotted in clumps, through a border or in lines. Seed sown toward the end of April will produce plants that will bloom from July till frost.

TALL BRANCHING—This is the best strain of Annual Larkspurs in cultivation.

## Lupinus (Lupine) ANNUAL VARIETIES

These are very desirable showy plants, suitable for borders or beds, producing large, erect-growing spikes of pea-like flowers. They like partial shade and are valuable for cutting. Height 3 to 2 feet.

 1469 Blue—Packet
 10c
 1472 Yellow—Packet
 10c

 1470 Rose—Packet
 10c
 1473 Mixed—Packet
 10c

 1471 White—Packet
 10c
 10c

#### PERENNIAL VARIETIES

## Lupinus Polyphyllus Lavatera

TRIMESTRIS—This is an annual suitable for large borders. It is useful as a cut-flower, producing Mallow-like flowers in great abundance all Summer. The seed can be sown outdoors in May, where the plants are to remain, thinned out, about 15 inches apart. Height about 2½ feet.

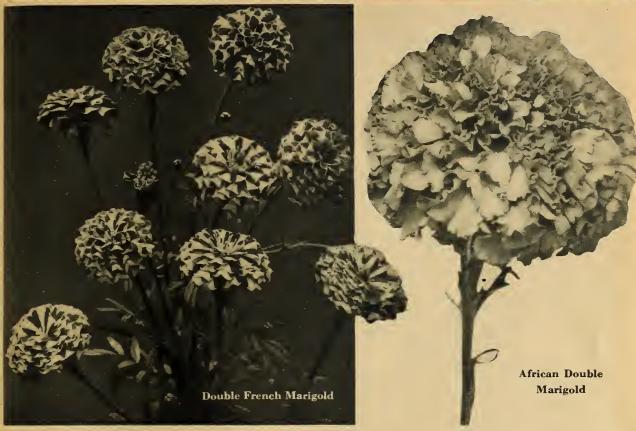
1409	Red—Per packet10c
1410	White—Per packet 10c
1411	Splendens, Sunset—Robust garden annual of
	branching habit, growing 21/2 feet tall and bear-



Lavatera







### Marigold

It is important to have many permanent flowers that will beautify the garden when the transients have faded and gone. The Marigold is not only beautiful in its formation and rich gold color; but it remains like a true family friend long after others have departed. Yellow is a frequent color in our gardens, but there is no such rich golden orange as the Marigold dis-plays. Its formation is distinct and its place in one's admiration is unique. It is both antique and modern, belonging to each successive season.

#### **African Varieties**

*AFRICAN ORANCE PRITE STRAIN VO

1004	AFRICAN UNANGE, FRIZE STRAIN—VERY large
	and perfect. Award of Merit R.H.S. of England. Per
	packet25c
1503	ORANGE PRINCE-Tall; rich orange. Per packet.10c
1504	DOUBLE LEMON-Tall: pale yellow. Per packet 10c
1505	DOUBLE, PRIDE OF THE GARDEN—Dwarf; rich
	yellow. Per packet10c
1506	DOUBLE, ELDORADO—Large, quilled flowers: vellow
	shades. Per packet
1507	DOUBLE, MIXED-Tall; all colors. 1/4 oz., 20c. Per
	packet

#### French Varieties

1517	DWARF GOLD-STRIPED-Brownish red, striped vel-
	low; very bright, free-flowering. Per packet 10c
1518	LEGION OF HONOR (Little Brownie)—A very popular
	dwarf single Marigold; deep golden yellow, marked with
	a large spot of crimson, velvet. Per packet 10c
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1519 DWARF, MIXED-A great variety of colors. 1/4 oz., 25c. 

### Lychnis

1458 CHALCEDONICA-A fine, hardy perennial for massing in beds or borders, growing 2 feet tall; very floriferous;

#### Linum

1433 RUBRUM (Scarlet Flax)—A very old but showy annual, with bright scarlet flowers. Sow outdoors. Per packet.

#### Lobelia

For edging beds or for pots and baskets there is nothing nicer than Lobelia. Sow seed early indoors in a small box or pot and transplant when large enough to handle; set out when weather is warm. It may also be sown outdoors.

1443 CRYSTAL PALACE COMPACTS-Deep blue; com-

..10c

1445 ERINUS GRACILIS—Of trailing habit; light blue. Per 

large spikes of bright scarlet flowers; likes a moist situa-

#### Matricaria

1539 CAPENSIS ALBO-PLENA (Feverfew)—Although a perennial, if sown early indoors will bloom the same year. Very free-flowering, producing a great quantity of double, white flowers. A good bedding plant, 18 inches tall. Per packet . . . . . .





Nigella Miss Jekyll

### Mignonette

Flowers attract us by their beauty and fragrance. Some have one of these charms; others have both. Mignonette has this double hold upon us. Its delicate perfume makes it welcome and loved in every garden. Its beauty is secondary; but it does not lack even this imperative requirement. The fact that it may be grown in pots and thus brought into the home gives it additional worth.

- 1563 WHITE GOLIATH—The double white-flowering counterpart of the variety offered above. Per packet...10c

#### Nicotiana

An easily grown annual, very showy either in beds or in clumps in borders among other plants. Sow seed early inside and transplant when the ground is warm outside.

- 1710 AFFINIS—White flowers; very fragrant. Per packet .. 5c

### Nigella (Love-in-a-Mist)

A compact-growing annual, with very finely cut foliage and peculiarly formed flowers. Sow seed in the open in May and thin out to about 6 inches apart.

- 1721 NIGELLA DAMASCENA—Blue. Per packet.....5c
- 1722 *NIGELLA MISS JEKYLL—True bright Corn-flower blue, a color seldom seen in annuals. One of the most lovely of all the newer introductions. Per packet...10e
- 1723 MISS JEKYLL—White. Per packet...... 10c

### Myosotis (Forget-Me-Not)

This is an old-fashioned, very popular little flower, blooming in the Spring. It is very suitable for massing in beds or for edging. Seed may be sown any time from Spring to midsummer and must be protected during the Winter months

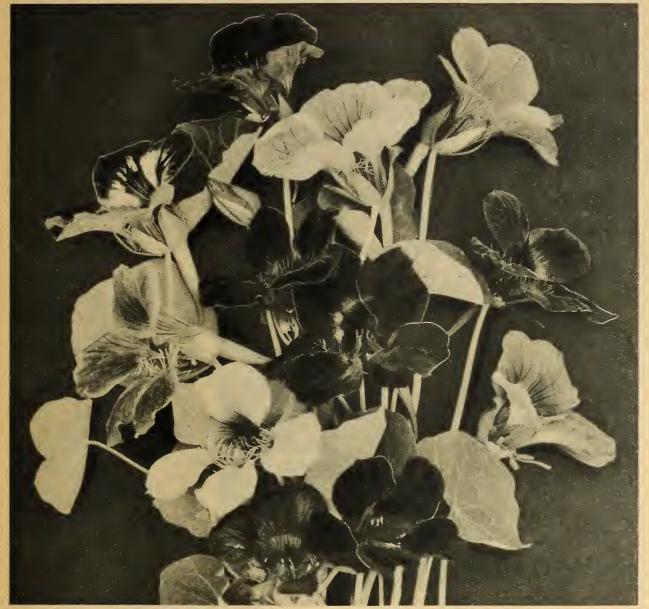
- 1626 ALPESTRIS ROBUSTA GRANDIFLORA—A stronggrowing variety of good clear light-blue. Per packet . . 10c
- 1627 ALPESTRIS, VICTORIA—A great favorite of compact growth; lovely, clear azure-blue. Per packet ...... 10c



Mignonette







Nasturtiums-One of our great specialties

#### NASTURTIUMS

All 5c. pkt., 15c. oz., 50c. 14 lb.

#### **CLIMBING VARIETIES**

Popular climbers for verandas, trellises, against fences, etc. Fine for cuttings.

1648 King Theodore—Deep crimson-maroon.

1649 Pearl-Creamy white.

1650 Prince Henry—Light yellow, marbled scarlet.

1651 Searlet-Bright scarlet.

1652 Vesuvius—Rich salmon; dark-leaved.

1653 Mixed—All Sorts. A superb mixture.

1654 Variegated Sorts-Mixed beautiful silver-spotted foliage

#### DWARF VARIETIES

1664 Empress of India—Dark crimson.
1665 King of Tom Thumbs—Bright scarlet.
1666 Pearl—Creamy white.
1667 Prince Henry—Cream, spotted and tipped red.
1668 Rose—Soft carmine-rose.

1669 Vesuvius-Salmon-rose; dark foliage.

1670 Mixed-All Sorts.

1671 Variegated-Leaved-Mixed. Very pretty.

#### LOBB'S CLIMBING NASTURTIUMS

These are more vigorous growers than the tall varieties. The flowers are slightly smaller, but of a great variety of colors. 1681 Mixed—Packet. 5c. oz., 20c. 14 lb., 60c. lb., \$1.50.





#### FINE BEDDING PANSIES

- 1804 World's Record Pansies Mixed
  —A very early flowering pansy
  and hardier than any other strain
  of Pansies. Per packet.... 15c
- 1806 Masterpiece—very fine blossoms, beautifully blotched and curled, rich colors. Per packet
- 1807 Apricot Queen (new)—pretty apricot shaded yellow, compact, fine for beds. Per packet....25c
- 1808 Cardinal—the most Brilliant Red. Per packet ......10c
- 1809 Fairy Queen—azure blue, white edge. Per packet . . . . . . 15c
- 1810 Coquette de Poissy—beautiful pale rosy mauve. One of the loveliest pansies. Per packet....15c

#### GIANT TRIMARDEAU PANSIES

- 1820 Fire King—golden yellow, upper petals crimson. Per packet 10c
- 1821—Golden Queen—a pure rich yellow. Per packet . . . . . . 10c
- 1822—Lord Beaconsfield—large purple violet, upper petals shading to white. Per packet.....10c
- 1823 Pure White-Per packet....10c
- 1831 Choice Mixed-Per packet.. 10c

#### SHOW AND FANCY PANSIES

- 1790 *English Prize Pansies—saved from the finest collection in the Kingdom of England and direct from Prize Plants. Per packet
- 1792 Curled (new)—a beautiful new type coming true from seed. flowers in various colors are finely curled and imbricated, having the appearance of being double. Per packet.....25c

#### RHODANTHE

#### **PHYSOSTEGIA**

1911 *Virginica—A very pretty, hardy perennial plant, growing in bush form 3 to 4 feet tall and producing numerous erect spikes of pink blooms good for cutting. Treat the same as the majority of perennials. Per packet...10c

#### PHYSALIS

1921 Franchetti (Chinese Lantern Plant)—A Summer-flowering perennial which is very ornamental on account of its
producing sprays of fruit which turn bright red, resembling small lanterns. Per packet. 10c

#### ELLIOTT'S BEAUTIFUL TUFTED PANSIES OR BEDDING VIOLAS

These **Tufted Pansies** give a continual mass of bloom of bright and attractive colors from spring to autumn; cut back in July after the first flowers are over, the plants again burst into bloom and remain decorative for a long time. The flowers are mostly self-colored, and rayless.

We offer a mixture, as the different colors do not come true from seed.







Phlox Drummondii Grandiflora

#### PHLOX DRUMMONDII GRANDIFLORA

One of the most popular annuals on account of its easy cultivation and very showy, brilliant-colored flowers; grows 1 foot tall. Seed can be sown in the open ground any time after the middle of May. The plants thrive better by being transplanted from where they were originally sown. When the young plants are about 6 inches tall, it is a good plan to pinch them so as to make them branch, thus producing a far better show of bloom.

#### *LARGE-FLOWERING VARIETIES

1853 White-Per pkt10c	1857 Crimson—Per pkt.10c
1854 Scarlet-Per pkt10c	1858 Purple-Per pkt10c
1855 Rose—Per pkt 10c	1859 Yellow-Per pkt10c
1856 Pink—Per pkt 10c	1860 Mixed-Per pkt10c

#### **DWARF VARIETIES**

These grow to 6 to 8 inches tall.

1870 Rose—Per pkt	15c	1872 White—Per pkt156	e
1871 Scarlet-Per pkt]	15c	1873 Mixed—Per pkt15e	e

#### PHLOX, PERENNIAL (P. decussata)

This is quite distinct from the preceding variety, being a tall perennial. We offer only the mixed colors in this class, as it does not come true to color from seed. To those wishing separate colors we recommend buying plants, which we offer in great variety.

#### **POLYANTHUS**

A free-flowering perennial which beautifies beds or borders in the Spring. Forms trusses of flowers on an erect-growing,

strong stem about 6 to 8 inches tall. The colors are very bright and effective. Sow seed in early Spring in boxes and transplant to open ground when large enough. They can also be sown in a prepared seed-bed in the Summer for blooming the following Spring.

#### *PRIMULA (Primrosc) SPRING-FLOWERING

These are very pretty Spring-flowering plants and, although perennial, require protection in the Winter, such as covering with hay or leaves. Better still, place in a coldframe.

2100 Auricula—Great favorite; beautiful colors. Per packet. 25e

2101 Japonica (Japanese Primrose)—Mixed. Per packet .10c 2102 Vulgaris (English Yellow Primrose)—Per packet ... .20c

2103 Acaulis (The Hardy Blue Primrose—A lovely blue-flowered type of the popular old English yellow Primrose and a fitting companion for naturalizing among shrubs in turf or hardy border. Per packet . . . . . . . . . . . . . 50c

#### WINTER-FLOWERING

Some of these are the most popular Winter-blooming plants, such as the Obconica and Chinensis varieties. Seed should be sown in early Spring in shallow boxes or pans, well drained, and soil should be sand and leaf-mold, very finely screened through a sieve; cover seeds very lightly and have the temperature about 65 degrees.

2113 Chinensis (Chinese) Fringed-Mixed. Per packet. 25c

2114 Obconica—Large-flowered Giant Mixed. Per packet35c





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Single Pyrethrum

merit; bright yellow, with brown disk; very good for

cutting. Per packet ......5c





Oriental Poppies

#### **POPPIES**

When one sees Poppies in bloom he thinks first of "lavender and old lace" and then of daintily painted Dresden China. The flower has a delicacy or fibre and appearance that suggests the finer, higher, and more gracious things of life. If the effect of lovely blossoms is to recall us to thoughts of worthier things, then Poppies must be ranked high, since their texture and tints are superb.

### Single Annual Varieties

1944	*SHIRLEY POPPIES—Improved extra selected stock. Charming mixture of 18 colors, including Apricot and Salmon Pink. Very select strain. Kept very carefully and constantly selected. Per packet
1941	<b>ADMIRAL</b> —A fine, large, pure white, with a bright scarlet band around the top; very attractive. Per packet.
1942	DANEBROG—A fine, large, brilliant scarlet, with a white
	spot on each petal forming a white cross. Per packet 5c
1943	MISS SHERWOOD—Beautiful, satiny white, shading
1710	to rose. Per packet
1945	THE BRIDE—A fine, large, pure white. Per packet 5c
1940	TULIP POPPY (Papaver glaucum)—Like a scarlet tulip; magnificent. Per packet
1047	*VIRGINIAN-Large, fringed flowers of pure white:
1711	edged with pink; beautiful. Per packet10c
1948	MIXED-A grand mixture of Annual Poppies. Per
	packet
	½ Oz. 25c

#### **Double Annual Varieties**

17/1	CARNATION-FLOWERED, MILED-	a mie mixture
	of Double-fringed Poppies. Per packet	5e
1981	PEONY-FLOWERED, MIXED-Large,	double, globe-
	shaped flowers in a great variety of colors.	Per packet 5e

1950 NEW DOUBLE, "NUBIAN PRINCE,"-a remarkably distinct and striking variety flowers of a glossy purplemaroon shaded black with deeply fringed petals, handsome, hardy perennial; 3 feet. Per packet . . . . 25c

### **Perennial Poppies**

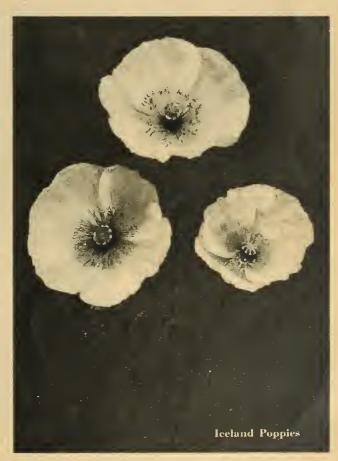
These should be sown in early Spring outdoors. The Iceland varieties, being perennial, will bloom the first year, the Oriental, when they start new growth in the Fall, should be transplanted to their permanent positions. As they die down during the hot weather, they should be marked, so as to avoid disturbing them during the Summer.

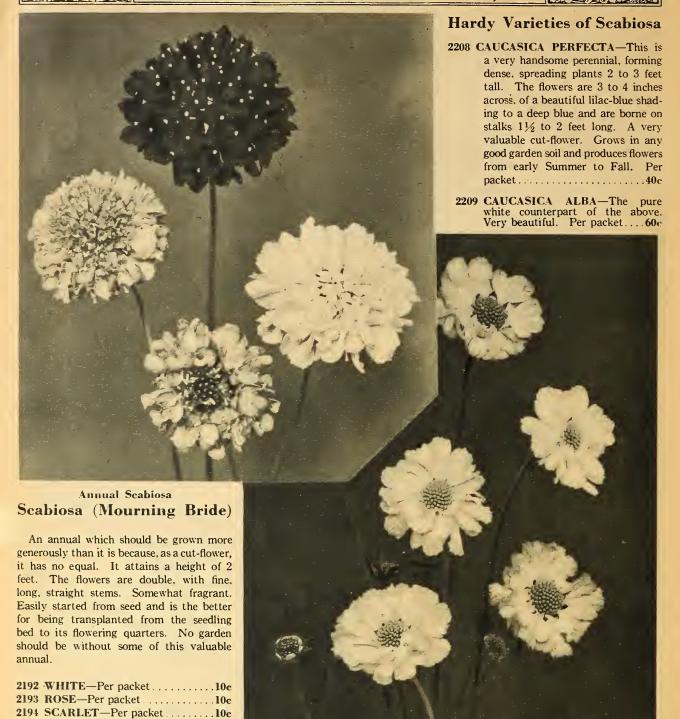
### **Iceland Poppies**

1988	*DOUBLE WHITE—Very beautiful. Per packet	.250
1992	ORANGE-SCARLET—Per packet	. 10c
1993	Yellow—Per packet	. 10c
1994	NEW HYBRIDS, MIXED—Per packet	10c

### **Giant Oriental Poppies**

These often vary in color from seed. To get them perfetrue it is best to buy plants, of which we offer a large collect	ctly
2000 SCARLET (True)—Per packet	
2001 SALMON-COLOR—Per packet	
2002 *GIANT ORIENTAL HYBRIDS—Choice Mixed.	Per
packet	25c





Perennial Scabiosa Caucasica

2195 GOLDEN YELLOW—Per packet 10c
2196 ROYAL PURPLE—Per packet . 10c
2197 *AZURE FAIRY—This is a lovely new color—rich pale blue. Per packet

2198 MIXED—1/4 oz., 25c Per packet 10c

#### IMPERIAL SALPIGLOSSIS

The writer spent some time on the grounds of the large seed-growers of England and France, but found nothing so impressive as the Imperial Salpiglossis in the trial-grounds of the famous old seed-house of Vilmorin, near Paris. These great seedsmen have been working on an improvement of this popular annual for several years and have produced one of the most beautiful flowering annuals in existence. The colors are rich and beautiful beyond description, fully equal to that of the finest Gloxinias, which they resemble. Easy of culture. Seed should be sown early in the Spring in a hotbed, or window and transplanted when weather is settled, or outdoors after danger of frost.

2477 Salpiglossis gloxinaeflora-Yellow, with
white border. Per packet15c
2478 Salpiglossis gloxinaeflora—Magenta, with
yellow throat. Per packet15c
2479 Salpiglossis gloxinaeflora—Rosy chamois,
carmine center. Per packet15c
2480 Salpiglossis gloxinaeflora—Carmine-red,
striped yellow. Per packet15c
2481 Salpiglossis gloxinaeflora — Purple-red.
striped yellow. Per packet15c
2482 Salpiglossis gloxinaeflora—Velvety red.
Per packet15c
2483 Salpiglossis gloxinaeflora — Violet. Per
packet
2484 Salpiglossis gloxinaeflora — Mixed. Per
packet
Eight packets assorted of any of the above for \$1.



### *SALVIA (Scarlet Sage)

We need not say much about this great favorite except that the seed we offer is the best procurable. It is best to start Salvia seed early, say in February or March in a hotbed or in the house. Transplant to the place where it is to bloom as soon as the weather becomes settled and warm. The seed can also be sown outdoors in May.

- 2171 SPLENDENS, BONFIRE—Of compact growth attaining, a height of 2 feet. This variety produces an abundance of fine, large spikes of bloom, well above the foliage, of brilliant scarlet. One of the most popular varieties grown. Per packet......25c
- 2172 SPLENDENS, ZURICH—A popular, earlyflowering, dwarf variety. Per packet . . . 25e



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Stocks Giant Perfection

#### SWEET WILLIAM

A very popular hardy perennial for beds or borders. Very easily raised from seed; for colors and cutting purposes it is excellent.

2297	Pink Beauty—Per packet	. 100
	Scarlet Beauty—Per packet	
2299	Single Mixed — Our best mixture procurable, packet.	
2300	Double Mixed—Per packet	100
2301	*New Annual—The old favorite Sweet William, be a perennial, does not flower until the second season is seed. This new type, however, commences blooming early Summer from Spring-sown seed and continue bloom for several weeks, producing fine blooms of var colors, many broadly margined with white and sweet fragrant. Per packet	rong ir s to ious

#### **STOCKS**

Certain flowers are not wanted in profusion, but their absence detracts from the general effect of a garden. Stocks not only help to give that desired impression of a full variety of flowers, but are beautiful in themselves, having an exquisite perfume which is highly prized. As cut-flowers in the home, Stocks are as much admired as when seen out of doors.

Giant Perfection. Ten Weeks (Cut-and-Come-Again). A perpetual-blooming class, of branching habit, giving a great profusion of fine flowers.

2249	White—Per packet15c
2250	Flesh—Per packet15c
2251	Rose—Per packet 15c
2252	Violet—Per packet
2253	Light Blue-Per packet 15c
	Crimson—Per packet
2255	Mixed—Per packet 15c
2256	*Beauty Stocks — These are giant-flowering, growing about 2 feet tall; are excellent for growing during the Winter months. For this purpose the seed should be sown in July of August; if sown in early Spring, they bloom from July till frost. Mixed colors. Very choice. Per packet 150

2277 Cyanea (Cornflower Aster) — A good hardy perennial, of great value as a cut-flower. Grows about 15 inches tall, bearing lavender-blue Cornflower-like blossoms in great profusion from July to frost. Per packet.

STOKESIA (Stoke's Aster)



Sweet William







ANNUAL WALLFLOWER

VINCA (Madagascar Periwinkle)

A very ornamental, free-flowering plant, with deep green,

glossy foliage and bright, single blossoms in great profusion. Sow seed early indoors and transplant when the weather is warm.

2329 Mammoth Mixed

2349	Pure White—Per packet	10c
2350	White with Rose Eye-Per packet	10c
	Mixed colors—Per packet	

Packet, 10c, 3 packets, for 25c

2325 Mammoth Striped







# A Few Notes On Use and Culture of Gladioli

Gladioli should be planted as soon as all danger from frost is past. If this is not convenient or does not fit in with your garden plans they may be kept in perfect condition by storing in a cool, dry place. They should not be left unplanted, however, after July 1st. They should be planted about four inches deep and six inches apart, either in clumps among shrubbery or roses, or in rows or beds by themselves. After the foliage has turned brown late in the fall, but before heavy frosts they may be dug up and stored over winter until next spring's planting time. To have a continuous flowering season from July 1st until October, plant a number of bulbs every two weeks, beginning about April 15th, and continuously until July 1st.

All bulbs are strictly first quality, 1½ inches in diameter and larger.



### TWELVE POPULAR GLADIOLI

America—Conceded to be one of the finest varieties for cutting or bedding out: a beautiful soft flesh pink, orchid like in its coloring and texture, growth and habit perfect. Per 12, 60c; per 100 .....\$4.00

Baron J. Hulot-Rich, royal violet-blue. Per 12, \$1.50; per 100...\$10.00

Empress of India—Rich, dark purplish maroon with deeper shadings. A magnificent variety. Per 12, \$1.50; per 100 ......\$10.00

Halley-Lovely delicate flesh color with creamy yellow blotch on the lower petals; a great favorite. Per 12, 70c; per 100.....\$5.00

Le Marechal Foch-Large clear light pink, somewhat brighter than America. Very early and useful cutflower. Per 12, 85c; per 100....\$6.00

Lily Lehman-Large lily shaped flowers of ivory white. Unique in appearance. Per 12, \$1.25; per 100.....\$9.00

Mrs. F. King-A striking shade of salmon scarlet or flame scarlet. An 

Panama—An American introduction of sterling merit; flowers are a rich rose pink of unusual beauty. Per 12, 75c; per 100 ......\$5.00

Red Canna—Large deep crimson flowers on very tall wiry stems. Suitable for cutting. Per 12, \$1.25; per 100.....\$9.00

Rose Pearl-Flesh pink with a pearl-like lustre; sport of Halley and Wilbrink but without their yellow markings on the lower petals. Splendid. Per 12, \$1.00; per 100.....\$7.50

Schwaben—Clear canary yellow with deep blotch of garnet in throat. An imported variety of wonderful vigor, with strong erect spikes and large. well expanded flowers. Per 12, 80c; per 100......\$5.50

Wilbrink-Flesh pink with yellowish blotch on lower petals; large, well placed flowers on tall, strong stems. Extra good. Per 12, 80c; per 100, 5.50

#### COLLECTIONS

Extra fine mixed—composed of all sorts in large range of colors ...... per doz. § .60 6 will be supplied at the dozen rate:

50 at the 100 rate.

Panama





Gretchen Zang

Peace

## We Offer the World's Finest Gladioli at Special Prices

### Twelve Superb Varieties

Evelyn Kirtland—Lustrous rose pink with shell pink center and brilliant blotches on lower petals; strong stem, making it one of the most desirable varieties for cutting. Per 12, \$1.00 per 100
Gretchen Zang—Beautiful soft pink shading to geranium pink at outer edges, scarlet blotches on lower petals. A pleasing combination on tall vigorous spikes. Per 12, \$1.00; per 100
Herada—Immense blooms of clear mauve, shaded deeper in the center. Very attractive. Per 12, \$1.00; per 100\$7.50
Lovesfire (Liebesfeuer)—Dazzling scarlet; perfect flowers on strong stems, the best of its color. Per 12, \$1.60; per 100 \$11.50
L'Immaculee—Medium sized flowers of snow white, very desirable cut flower. Per 12, \$1.25; per 100
Mrs. Dr. Norton—Silvery white base tinged with pink deepening towards the edges of lower petals; blotched throat Exquisite. Per 12, \$1.25; per 100
1910 Rose—Handsome early variety of deep rose pink with

Odin—A warm color combination of salmon pink with intense
carmine blotch on lower petals. Splendid for cutting. Per 12,
\$1.00; per 100
Orange Glory—Exquisite deep, rich orange shading lighter
toward the center. A husky plant with heavily ruffled flowers
on strong stem. Per 12, \$1.25; per 100\$9.50
Peace—Immense pure white flowers feathered with carmine on
lower petals. A very beautiful variety. Per 12, 85c; per 100
\$6.00
Pink Perfection—Very warm pink; large, perfectly placed
flowers on long, wiry stem, one of the best. Per 12, \$1.50;
per 100
Yellow Hammer—Flowers Primrose vellow with slight red
mark in throat on tall graceful stem. Per 12, \$1.10; per
100

#### COLLECTIONS

One each of the above superb varieties, 12 in all\$1.2	25
Three each of the above superb varieties, 36 in all 3.6	
Six each of the above superb varieties, 72 in all 6.5	0

6 will be supplied at the dozen rate; 50 at the hundred rate







Bowl of Alice Tiplady

#### ELLIOTT'S FAMOUS XXX MIXTURE OF GLADIOLI

For those who want a fine, large show of gladioli regardless of names or color-arrangement, we have made up a superb mixture which is admirably adapted to this purpose. It is a blending of fine varieties and contains every shade of color that can be found in Gladioli. We have sold hundreds of thousands of this mixture to an ever increasing number of satisfied customers. Per 12, 70c; Per 100, \$5.00; Per 1,000 \$45.00

#### NINE EXCLUSIVE GLADIOLI OF EXCEPTIONAL BEAUTY

super glad. Per 12, \$2.00; per 100....\$14.00

Louise—Very refined color combination of orchid lavender with deeper blotch in throat. Strong stems. Per 12, \$1.50; per 100....\$10.00

Mary Pickford—Lovely cream white with sulphur yellow throat. A superb variety. Per 12, \$1.10; per 100......\$8.00 Mrs. H. E. Bothin—Geranium pink tinted salmon with flaming scarlet center. A very striking color combination. Heavily

ruffled flowers on strong stem. Per 12, \$1.50; per 100....\$10.00

War—Deep blood red shaded crimson, very tall. Excellent for cutting. Per 12, \$1.10; per 100.....\$8.00

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# Shall We Trust the Experts?

The ancient industry of gardening was among the first of man's pursuits to become specialized. Today it is an important work with large nurseries to test the lives of plants in order that busy amateurs may obtain the most promising bulbs and plants and seeds that can be developed.

In the following Vegetable Seed List we are suggesting only varieties that have passed the tests of our skilled experts. If our years of critical experience can be considered valuable, we modestly hope that our patrons will trust the judgment of our firm and accept the results of our careful research. It is these tested and tried varieties that we here recommend.

The test applied in selecting the varieties listed in this Seed Catalog is the test of flavor. It is presumed that our clients are amateurs who grow vegetables for their own tables. So, in compiling this list, we ask ourselves concerning a given variety. "Is it good to eat? Is there any better variety for table use than this one?" If there is, we choose the finer flavored kind.

We recognize, however, that some persons, particularly market gardeners, may want to grow vegetables for other than home consumption. For example, the grower may wish to sell vegetables. In that event, the ability to stand shipment well rather than fine flavor may be the prime consideration. Consequently, if our applicants desire seeds not listed here, we will promptly forward them, although we cannot recommend them in a catalog compiled primarily for a clientele growing vegetables for their own table.

### A Few Introductions of Exceptional Merit

- 3024 WAX BEAN.—Pencil Pod—We find this the best of all the dwarf wax beans, and quite incomparable with any other variety. It is early and very productive. The pod measures 6½ to 7 inches in length. They are round, straight, strictly stringless, free from fiber, fleshy and
- 3069 BEET—Extra Early Wonder—Among our many varieties in the trial garden we have found this new beet to be decidedly the best under all conditions. Roots are very uniform, globe-shaped, with small top and tap root. Skindark red, flesh deep blood red with hardly any zoning. Very fine for both early and late planting. Per packet, 10c; 1 oz. 15c; ¼ lb., 50c; ½ lb. 90c; 1 lb. . . . . . . . \$1.75
- 3478 PEPPER PIMENTO—The sweetest pepper grown. Very thick fleshed, heart shaped, smooth, crimson variety. Unexcelled for salads. Per packet, 10c; ½ oz. 30c; 1 oz.





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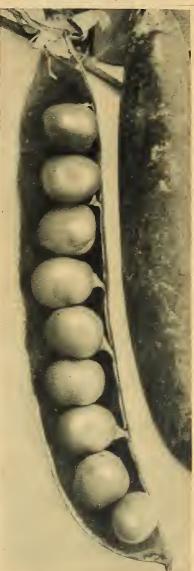
Giant Podded — Undoubtedly the best of all the pole lima beans. It is the largest podded lima in cultivation, extremely vigorous in growth with dark green foliage and pods. Mid-season. Pods measure 7 inches long by 1½ inches broad and are borne in clusters of 6 to 8. Beans extra large and of the highest quality. Per packet, 10c: ½ lb., 35c; 1 lb., 60c; 2 lbs... \$1.00: 5 lbs... \$2.25

- 3220 CUCUMBER, EARLY FORTUNE—The finest type of white spine cucumber yet produced. Very productive and free from disease. Nine inches long, slightly tapering. A very handsome cucumber of a deep green color. Flesh very firm and crisp with very few seeds. Per packet, 10c: 1 oz., 25e; ½ lb., 90c; 1 lb........\$3.25
- 3381 ALSA CRAIG ONION—A splendid EX-HIBITION ONION of handsome form, fine texture and mild in flavor. Per packet, 25c; ½ oz., 50c; 1 oz......90c
- 3424 PEAS, WORLD'S RECORD—This is a new pea of marvelous quality. Pods 4 inches long, filled with 7 to 9 very large, dark green peas. Height 2 feet. This is a real fine dwarf early pea for the private garden. Per packet, 10c; ½ lb., 25c; 1.lb., 40c; 2 lbs., 75c; 5 lbs......\$1.75
- 3505 RADISH, SPARKLER (White Tipped)

  —A most handsome white tipped radish of finest quality. Solid, crisp and mild. Flesh, pure white and never pithy. Per packet, 10c; 1 6z., 15c; 1/4 lb......50c
- 3298 LETTUCE, ALL HEART—This is the very best heading variety we have yet found. It heads equally well in midsummer and in Fall as in the Spring. Forms a solid fine head of light green color, very tender, crisp and fresh. Per packet, 10c; ½ oz., 20c; 1 oz., 35c; ¼ lb....\$1.25

3166 CELERY EMPEROR—A very fine celery from Columbia. Hearts large and full of a light yellow color. Stalks very crisp, broad and thick. A superior celery for Fall and Winter use. Per packet, 10c; ¼ oz., 25c; ½ oz., 45c; 1 oz. ..........................80c

3457 SQUASH, DELICIOUS — A squash of superior quality for the home garden. Excellent for Summer and Winter use. Fruits top-shaped, dark green in color. Flesh, orange, very dry and of a truly delicious flavor. Per packet, 10e; 1 oz., 25e; ½ lb........75e



3424 Peas, World's Record





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#### **ASPARAGUS**

3000 Palmetto — Large; early; uniform in size; prolific and disease-resisting. Per packet, 10c; oz., 15e; ¼ lb., 50c.

3001 Asparagus Roots— Three years old. Will bear the second season. Per 100, \$3.00; per 1,000 ......\$25

#### BRUSSELS SPROUTS

3006 Dalkeith — Produces an abundant crop of tender and delicious "Sprouts" in Fall and early Winter. As easily grown as cabbage. Per packet, 10c; oz., 30c; 1/4 lb., \$1

#### GREEN BUSH BEANS

3011 Bountiful—This splendid variety is a distinct improvement in green Bush Beans. We cannot praise it enough to do it justice. The plants are vigorous, hardy, practically rust- and mildew-proof, extremely early, and very prolific bearers for an unusually long period. The pods are of immense size, very uniform in shape, of delicious flavor, and very tender. Absolutely stringless. Per packet, 10c; ½ lb., 25c; lb., 40c; 2 lbs., 75c; 5 lbs. \$1.75

WAX-PODDED BUSH BEANS

3026 Improved Golden Wax—A very popular early variety, with long, flat, nearly straight clear yellow pods. An immense producer and all-around fine variety for the home garden. Per packet, 10c; ½ lb., 25c; lb., 40c; 2 lbs., 75c; 5 lbs. \$1.75



#### CHERVIL

3140 Curled—A variety with crisp, curled leaves, used for flavoring soups and salads. Per packet, 10c; ½oz., 15c;oz., 25c; ¼ lb., 85c.

3036 Old Homestead, or Ken-This is. tucky Wonder. without doubt, the best greenpodded snap Pole Bean in existence and for this reason is the most popular. It is ten days earlier than any other Pole Bean and of continuous productiveness from early July until frost. The pods are 6 to 8 inches long, entirely stringless, and of marvelous quality. They hang on the vines in bunches from top to bottom and can be picked by the handful. It is also excellent for use as a shelled Bean. Per packet, 10c; ½ lb., 25c; lb., 40c; 2 lbs., 75c; 5 

#### BROCCOLI

3085 White Cape—This vegetable much resembles cauliflower. Heads of good size, compact, and of creamy white color. One of the most certain to head. Per packet, 10c; ½ oz., 30e; oz., 55c; ¼ lb., \$1.85

#### COLLARDS

3157 True Georgia—The plant grows 2 to 3 feet tall, forming

clusters of tender, undulated leaves at the top of rather long stems. Used as greens and as a substitute for cabbage in the South and West. Per package, 5c; oz., 15c; ½ lb., 50c

3036 Old Homestead

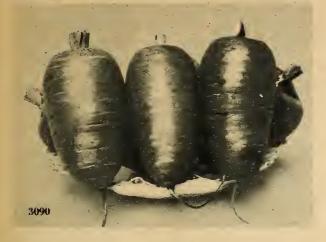
#### TOMATO

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#### Carrots

3090 HALF-LONG DANVERS-Medium early. A very good Carrot for all soils. Roots grow o to o inches long, tapering to a blunt point. The flesh is close-grained, of a deep orange color; has a very small core. Roots are easily harvested and excellent for Winter storage. Per species 10c; 1 oz., 20c; 1/4 lb., 40c; 1 lb., .......\$1.25 Carrot for all soils. Roots grow 6 to 8 inches long,

3091 CHANTENAY—Medium early. A splendid half-long stump-rooted variety, growing 6 to 7 inches long. The flesh is of a rich orange color, practically free from core, 

### Elliott's Table Beets

Crimson and vermilion-red would seem to belong mainly to plants and flowers; but in the choice varieties of Beets suggested here, we find these same rich colors. They add suggested here, we find these same rich colors. greatly to this tempting vegetable, one which may be brought direct from the garden to kitchen for immediate use in early Summer or which, planted late, may be carried over for Winter.

Pickled Beets have become a staple article in a well-stored pantry and prove an excellent relish with other vegetables or rich meats.

3075 DETROIT DARK RED—One of the very best for home garden. The roots are uniformly smooth, large, and globe-shaped. The formly smooth, large, and globe-snaped. The flesh is solid, of best quality, and the vermilion-red in color. Succeeds well at all seasons. One of the best to sow in the Spring to succeed the extra-early and medium-early varieties. Per packet, 5c; loz., 15c; ¼ lb., 35c; l lb............\$1.25

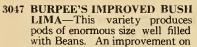
3071 CROSBY'S EGYPTIAN—This is the largest of the early sorts. Flesh a trifle lighter than usual in color but of fine quality. Per packet, 5c; 1 oz., 15e; 1/4 lb., 35c; 1 lb.\$1.25

3073 LONG SMOOTH BLOOD-RED BEET. An excellent late variety. Both root and leaves are of an intense dark red. The roots grow 14 inches long and are smooth and rather slender. The flesh is of fine quality, being of good flavor and tender. Excellent for Winter storage. Per packet, 5c; 1 oz., 20c; 14 lb., 40c; 1 lb....

#### Lima Beans

Lima Beans are highly esteemed as a table vegetable. They are of high nutritive value and should be grown more extensively. They are much richer and more delicate in flavor than ordinary Beans and unexcelled for boiling, baking, or canning.

3046 FORDBROOK BUSH LIMA-A most popular variety of fine quality. The plant has a strong, upright growth which protects the pods from contact with the soil, thus preventing rust or rot. It is exceedingly productive, bearing pods in clusters of from four to eight. The pods are large and contain from three to five large, oval-shaped, very thick Beans of a delicious flavor. Per packet, 10c; ½ lb., 35c; l lb., 60c; 2 lbs. \$1.00



the old Burpee's Bush Lima in that the Beans are thicker and more numerous, the pods larger, and the plants more productive. Per packet, 10c; ½ lb., 30c; 1 lb., 50c; 2 lbs.....



3049 ELLIOTT'S LEVIATHAN—The earliest of all. Pole Lima Beans are, as a rule, later than Bush Lima Beans, for which reason the crops mature with difficulty in some localities. This variety, however, is fully a week earlier than any other Pole Lima and can therefore be grown successfully in Northern States and in localities where cool nights retard growth. Most prolific, producing large pods well filled with large, fleshy Beans of an excellent flavor. The Beans are white and may be shelled from the pod with ease. Per packet, 10c: ½ lb., 25c; 1 lb., 40c; 2 lbs., 75c;





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#### CAULIFLOWER

3145 Early Snowball—Undoubtedly the finest and most popular variety. Seed sown under glass in February and then planted out after frost will produce fine heads by June 1st. The heads are very solid, of the very finest quality. Seldom fails to produce a good-sized head. This variety is not only unsurpassed for Spring use, but it is incomparable for the Fall.

Packet, 25c; 1/4 oz., 80c; 1/2 oz., \$1.50; oz., \$2.50

3147 Dry Weather—One of the very finest varieties of Cauliflower grown and better fitted than any other for growing in dry locations.

Packet, 25c; 1/4 oz., 80c; 1/2 oz., \$1.50; oz., \$2.50

#### CHICORY

3201 Witloof—The plants form long Parsnip-shaped roots. These roots are forced in the frame, greenhouse, or dark cellar. The new growths of Lettuce-like leaves which then appear are cut and used as salad. It is very easily grown and comes at a time when salad is most scarce.

Packet, 10c; ½ oz., 20c; oz., 35c; ¼ lb. \$1.00

#### CRESS

3211 Extra Curled—A small, curled plant, having a fine pungent flavor and used as a salad.

Packet, 5c; oz., 15c; ¼ lb., 40c; lb., \$1.25

3212 True Water Cress—For growing along banks of ponds and streams. Highly esteemed for salads and garnishing. Packet, 10c; ½ oz., 35c; oz., 60c; ½ lb., \$2.00

#### CELERY

3167 Golden Self-blanching—This sort is, without doubt the best early Celery in cultivation. Plants are compact and stocky, with yellowish green foliage. Stalks perfectly solid, of a fine nutty flavor. Attains large size and when blanched is of a handsome golden yellow.

Packet, 15c; ½ oz., 60c; oz., \$1.00; ¼ lb., \$3.50

#### **CABBAGE**

3113 Late Flat Dutch—A justly popular and esteemed variety for home and market. The heads are large, round, slightly flattened, and very firm. It is very hardy and excellent in every respect.

Packet, 10c; oz., 25c; 1/4 lb., 80c; lb., \$2.75

3114 Danish Ballhead, or Holland—One of the very best Winter sorts on account of its keeping qualities. The heads are round and very compact, almost as hard as iron. Good for boiling, slaw, or sauerkraut, being crisp, tender and sweet.

Packet, 10c; oz., 40c; 1/4 lb., \$1.50; lb., \$5.00

3116 Early Jersey Wakefield—The most widely known and popular early variety. Heads cone-shaped, very solid and of finest quality.

Packet, 10c; oz., 35c; 1/4 lb., \$1.00; lb., \$3.50

3119 Red Dutch—A very popular variety producing medium sized heads. A good keeper and extensively used for pickling.

Packet, 10c; oz., 35c; 1/4 lb., \$1.00; lb., \$3.50

3120 American Drumhead Savoy—The flavor of Savoy or crumpled-leaved Cabbage is very superior to that of ordinary Cabbage, being sweet, delicate, and most delicious. Worthy of a place on any table.

Packet, 10c; oz., 35c; 1/4 lb., \$1.10; lb., \$3.00



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3168 Improved White Plume—This is also an excellent early variety. Has a delicious flavor, crisp, and tender. The stalks are slim and blanch very easily. May be ready to blanch in September and fit for the table within a few days. Color when blanched is silvery white.

Packet, 10c; ½ oz., 25c; oz., 40c; ¼ lb., 80c

3169 Easy-blanching—This variety is distinct from any other sort and has not only all the qualities of the best early varieties, but is an excellent keeper also. It is good for the entire season and so easily grown that even the most in experienced amateur gardener can have the finest Celery. Easily and quickly blanched: of medium height; has crumpled leaves and thick broad stalks, with shallow ribs. It is tender, brittle, and of fine flavor.

Packet, 10c; ½ oz., 50c; oz., 90c

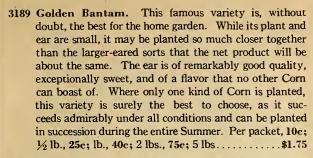
#### CELERIAC, OR TURNIP-ROOTED CELERY

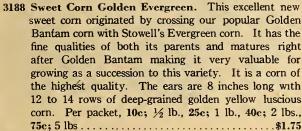
3179 Large Smooth Prague—A highly developed large variety. Roots almost round and smooth skinned.

Packet, 5c; ½ oz., 20c; oz., 35c; ¼ lb., \$1.00



### SWEET CORN





3190 Country Gentleman. This variety, like Golden Bantam, has justly become famous all over the United States. The plant is very prolific, often producing three ears to the stalk. The ears are 8 to 9 inches long, densely covered with plump, milky kernels of exceptional quality and unusual depth. The ear is almost all Corn, the cob being nothing more than a core. Matures slowly and is ready to succeed the earlier varieties. Per packet, 10c; ½ lb., 25c; 1 lb., 40c; 2 lbs., 75c; 5 lbs.....\$1.75

3191 Stowell's Evergreen. The standard and one of the best known Sweet Corns. Ears 8 to 9 inches long, 16- to 18-rowed, with very deep, sweet grain. A great



Chicago Pickle. A most 3226 excellent pickling sort, very uniform in size, productive and of a fine green color. Per packet, 10c; 1 oz., 20c; 1/4 lb., 50e; 1 lb.....\$1.75

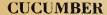
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be planted at least 5 feet apart. Since it will grow on a trellis, it has many valuable features. It takes up less space in the

garden and keeps the fruit from the ground, thus preventing rot during wet spells. The fruit is of a dark green color, 10 inches long, thick, crisp, and of fine quality. Per packet, 10c; 1 oz.,

20c; 1/4 lb., 60c; 1 lb., \$2.00



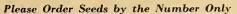
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3221 Earliest of all. An extra early very prolific cucum-ber. Fruits very full and uniform. Color deep green. A very valuable variety. Per packet, 10c; 1 oz., 20c;

3224 well-known table sort. The fruit is slender, tapering towards the ends, 14 to 15 inches long, and of a dark

green color. Flesh is crisp, white, and firm. Per packet, 10c; 1 oz., 20c; 1/4 lb., 60c; 1 lb.....................\$2.00

3225 Japanese Climbing. This variety may be grown either on a trellis or on the ground. For the latter, it should







Lettuce no longer belongs to early Summer, but is a perennial requirement for a well-ordered table. Its uses are varied. When all the more tempting and artistic methods of serving are exhausted, it is still a great dish when wilted in the Continental fashion. Physicians insist that no vegetable equals Lettuce, since it distends the organs without overtaxing them and both palliates and nourishes the system. Many persons prefer it for breakfast rather than for dinner as a choice delicacy with which to start the day.



#### 3299 BIG BOSTON-

- 3299 BIG BOSTON—This is one of the most popular and famous varieties of Lettuce on the market. The heads are large and compact, of a light green shade, packed with thoroughly blanched leaves which are tender and crisp. While it will do well at almost any time of the year except during the hottest months, it is particularly well adapted for Fall culture.
  - Packet, 10e: ½ oz. 15e; oz. 20e: ¼ lb., 60e.
- 3300 GOLDEN QUEEN—The best first-early Lettuce. Forms very solid heads of rich, very light green shade. As the heads are solidly packed, there is more to them than to some varieties double their size. The leaves are tender, juicy, crisp, and well blanched.

  Packet, 10c; ½ oz., 15c; oz., 30c; ½ lb., 90c.
- 3301 NEW YORK—For Summer crops this variety cannot be excelled. It is deep rooted, of robust growth, and will stand hot weather perfectly. Forms heads under the most trying conditions. Heads grow to enormous size, 15 to 16 inches across, very solid, dark green, and of unrivaled quality, without a trace of bitterness. Leaves broad, of very thick texture.

Packet, 10c; 12 oz., 40c; oz., 70c; 14 lb., \$2.00

3302 GRAND RAPIDS—The favorite loose-leaved Lettuce. Does well in the North for early planting outside and is very popular in the West. Forms no heads but produces an abundance of heavily crumpled and fringed leaves of an exceedingly fine quality, brittle, tender, and sweet; excels in flavor many of the best heading varieties. The easiest Lettuce to grow. To those who cannot succeed in getting Lettuce to head we strongly recommend this variety.

Packet, 10c; 12 oz., 15c; oz., 20c; 1/4 lb., 60c.

3297 BLACK SEEDED SIMPSON—One of the best and most popular large, early, loose-heading variety. It succeeds everywhere and is always reliable. Leaves excessively frilled and crumpled and of the best quality.

Packet, 10e; 1/2 oz., 15e; 1 oz., 25e; 1/4 lb., 90e.

- 3304 ROMAINE, OR TRIANON COS (Self-closing)—This is the best of the Cos varieties, which are becoming very popular on account of their distinct and pleasing flavor. Our Self-closing variety forms well blanched, firm, loaf-shaped heads and does not need to be tied up like the ordinary Romaine. Almost the entire plant is tender and palatable. Packet, 10c; ½ oz., 15c; oz., 25c; ½ lb., 70c.
- 3305 ELLIOTT'S SUCCESSION COLLECTION—Of three superior head Lettuces: Golden Queen for extra-early. New York for mid-summer, Big Boston for late crop.

One packet each of the above 3 varieties, 25e

#### WATERMELON

3325—COLE'S EARLY—This is, without doubt, the best early Watermelon. Where Watermelons never grew before, because of unfavorable climate, Cole's Early is grown successfully, supplying the table with its delicious fruit. With Cole's Early, North really rivals South in the production of Watermelons, for as far north as Canada, Cole's Early produces melons of excellent quality. The easiest Watermelon to grow: produces a bountiful crop of melons 12 inches long and 9 inches in diameter—not large, but of the best quality. The flesh is deep red, of delicious flavor, very sweet, and ripens from heart to rind.

Packet, 10e: oz., 20c; 14 lb., 45e; lb., \$1.25

- 3328 KLECKLEY'S SWEET OR MONTE CRISTO—Medium to large in size; shape, oblong, tapering toward the stem end. Flesh is of a rich red color, exceedingly sweet, and ripens to the rind. Medium early. Packet, 10e; oz., 15e; ¼ lb., 35e; lb., \$1.25
- 3329 TOM WATSON—One of the best main-crop sorts. Grows to enormous size; a good shipping melon. Flesh rich red, of excellent quality. Packet, 10e; oz., 15e; ½ lb., 35e; lb. \$1.25

#### DANDELION

3235 IMPROVED BROADLEAVED—A distinct very early variety, forming a rosette of large, broad leaves.
Packet, 15e; ½ oz., 40e; oz., 75e

#### **EGGPLANT**

3245 BLACK BEAUTY—This variety is about two weeks earlier than other large sorts. It produces very handsome, purple-black fruits of fine quality and of uniform size.

Packet, 10c; 1/2 oz., 35c; oz., 60c; 1/4 lb., \$2.25

#### **ENDIVE**

- 3266 BROAD-LEAVED BATAVIAN—ESCAROLLE—One of the best varieties for salads. Leaves broad, more or less twisted and waved, hright green, with a nearly white midrib. Inner leaves form fine head which blanches a creamy white. An excellent salad plant, available long after the Lettuce season and easier to grow.

  Packet, 10c; 0z., 15c; ½ lb., 50c; lb., \$1.75
- 3267 GREEN CURLED—The most hardy and vigorous sort. Leaves bright green, with other midribs showing a trace of rose. It readily blanches a creamy white.

Packet, 10c; oz., 15c; 14 lb., 50c; lb., \$1.75

#### KOHLRABI

3277 WHITE VIENNA—A variety of Cabbage with a Turnip-like bulh which forms immediately above the ground. It is extremely tender and of fine flavor. Bulbs are large enough to be eaten in ten to twelve weeks. As they are more tender when not fully matured, successive sowings should be made instead of depending upon one standing crop. Packet, 10e; ½ oz., 15e; oz., 25e; ½ lb., 75e

#### LEEK

3288 AMERICAN FLAG—The favorite variety for the home garden. It is strong-growing, broad-leaved, and productive. The stems average 2 inches through and 10 inches long. They blanch beautifully white and are of fine mild flavor.

Packet, 10c; 1/2 oz., 15c; oz., 25c; 14 lb., 75c

#### KALE OR BORECOLE

3256 DWARF CURLED SCOTCH—A handsome, very finely curled, dwarf spreading variety. Foliage long and of an attractive bright green. The plants are hardy above zero. Frost improves their quality. Packet, 10c; oz., 20c; ½ lb., 60c; lb., \$2,00







### Okra or Gumbo

A very popular Southern vegetable which succeeds just as well in the North.

3372 WHITE VELVET—A tall-growing variety with long, round smooth pods of a velvety white color. Extremely tender and very prolific. The best variety. Per packet, 10c; oz., 15c; ½ lb., 30c; lb......90c

#### Onion

3383 SOUTHPORT RED GLOBE—The best type and most popular of red Onions. The bulbs are distinctly glove-shaped, with small necks; are excellent keepers. The color is a deep purplish red. Best quality and a little stronger than the white and yellow sorts. Per packet, 10c; ½ oz., 35c; 1 oz., 60c; ¼ lb. \$2.00

3384 SOUTHPORT WHITE GLOBE—A true globe-shaped

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3385 SOUTHPORT YELLOW GLOBE—The most largely grown yellow Onion. The bulbs are globe-shaped, with

large, white, flat Onion with silver skin and mild, pleasant flavor. The flesh is solid, crisp, and fine grained. Extensively used for picking and bunching. Per packet, 10c; ½ oz., 25c; 1 oz., 40c; ½ lb.....\$1.40

#### Parsley

3406 CHAMPION MOSS CURLED—A compact-growing sort. The leaves are of a dark green color, very finely cut, and so closely curled as to resemble a bunch of moss. One of the most useful and decorative sorts. Per packet, 5c: 1 oz., 10c: ½ lb. 40c

#### Parsnip

### **Muskmelon**







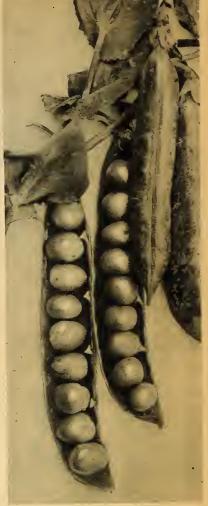
#### PEAS

- 3452 PRIZE-WINNER—Height  $2\frac{1}{2}$  feet. In this splendid variety, which comes to us from one of England's best Pea-breeders, we have an ideal dwarf main-crop sort, giving us as many and as large pods as the very tall varieties. The vine is remarkably sturdy and the foliage heavy, both very dark-green in color. The pods are from  $4\frac{1}{2}$  to 5 inches in length, very broad and heavy, straight, pointed, dark green. They contain nine very large Peas of the most excellent quality. We recommend Prize-Winner for a main crop where dwarf growth, productiveness, and high quality are desired. Per packet,  $10c; \frac{1}{2}$  lb., 25c; lb., 40c; 2 lbs., 75c; 5 lbs... \$1.75
- 3451 TELEPHONE—Height 5 feet. This is one of the oldest varieties grown, an old favorite; today better than ever. Produces an abundant crop of enormous pods well filled with large Peas of rich flavor. Vines are tall but not heavy, requiring little support. Per packet, 10c; ½ lb., 25c; lb., 40c; 2 lbs., 75c; 5 lbs........\$1.75

#### RADISHES

- 3503 WHITE-TIPPED EARLY SCAR-LET TURNIP—The most popular of all Radishes; unsurpassed for the table. Has a very attractive appear





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#### WINTER RADISHES

- 3520 WHITE CHINESE or CELESTIAL—Roots 6 to 8 inches long, thick, cylindrical, and smooth, with beautiful white skin and flesh. The whitest and least pungent of the winter Radishes.

  Packet, 10c; 0z., 15c; 1/2 lb., 40c; lb., \$1.25
- 3521 CHINA ROSE—The very best winter sort. Color bright deep rose. Four to 5 inches long, 2 inches thick. Flesh, white, crisp and pungent. Packet, 10c; 1 oz., 15c; 1/4 lb., 40c



#### PUMPKINS

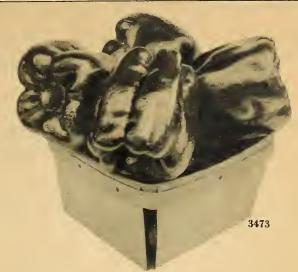
- 3488 CONNECTICUT FIELD—Generally planted among corn for stockfeeding. Produces large, orange colored Pumpkins with rich orange yellow flesh. Good for pie. Packet, 10c; oz., 20c; 1/1 lb., 30c; lh., \$1.00
- 3489 CHEESE PUMPKIN—The most popular variety for pies and other table uses. Fruits are large, flattened, round, creamy buff in color. Flesh a very deep yellow of finest quality. Packet, 10e; oz., 20e; ¼ lb., 40e; lb., \$1.25
- 3490 KING OF THE MAMMOTHS—The giant among Pumpkins. Specimens have grown to weigh 250 pounds, reaching 2 feet or more in diameter. Fruit round and flattened, slightly ribbed skin, salmon orange. Flesh bright yellow, very thick, and of fine quality.

  Packet, 10c; oz., 20c; ¼ lb., 50c; lb., \$1.75

#### SPINACH

- 3536 THICK-LEAVED Leaves large and thick, bright green, and crumpled; high quality. A fine variety for Fall sowing to Winter over for Spring cutting.
  Packet, 5e; 0z., 10e; 14 lb., 25e; lb., 75e
- 3537 SAVOY-LEAVED—This is a very quick-growing variety; forming large fleshy leaves, deeply crumpled and of fine flavor. It must be used either in the Spring or in the Fall, as it will go to seed during the hot Summer months.
  - Packet, 5c; oz., 10c; ¼ lb., 25c; lb., 75c
- 3538 NEW ZEALAND—Entirely distinct from the true Spinach. The plants are spreading, with numerous side shoots. Leaves are medium green, small and pointed, but very thick and fleshy.

  Packet, 10c; 02., 15c; 1/4 lb., 40c; lb., \$1.25
- 3544 KING OF DENMARK—We have found this to be the very finest long seasoned Spinach. Will not bolt to seed. The leaves are large, round, very much crumpled. Color deep green. Plants of very vigorous growth.
  - Packet, 10e: 1 oz., 15c: 1/4 ib., 40c; 1 lb., \$1.00



#### PEPPERS

- 3472 CHINESE GIANT—This is one of the very largest of Peppers, averaging 12 to 15 inches in circumference. Nevertheless, they are early and prolific. The fruits are tender, mild and sweet, unexcelled for use as salad or for stuffing, for "mangoes."

  Packet, 15c; ½ 0z., 55c; 0z., \$1.00
- 3473 LARGE BELL, or BULL NOSE—A very popular variety, unsurpassed as a pickling sort. The fruits, when young, are dark green, gradually changing to a hright red. The flesh is thick, tender, and of mild flavor. Packet, 10c; ½ oz., 35c; oz., 60c
- 3474 LONG RED CAYENNE—Scarlet pods 4 inches long, ½ of an inch in diameter. Hot and pungent. Much used for pickling, both green and ripe.

Packet, 10c; ½ oz., 30c; oz., 50c: ¼ lb., \$1.75

3475 RUBY KING—One of the most satisfactory varieties for the home. Plants are early and productive, bearing pendent fruits 4 to 6 inches long by 3 to 4 inches thick, tapering and of a bright ruby-red color. The flesh is thick, sweet, and mild. A favorite sort for salads, stuffing, etc.

Packet, 10c: ½ oz., 30c; oz., 50c; ¼ lb., \$1.75

3476 RED CHILI—Plants grow compact and bushy. Twenty-eight inches tall. The fruit is about 1½ inches long, cone-shaped, and hright red in color; very hot. Exceedingly prolific; generally used for making pepper sauce.

Packet, 10c: 1/2 oz., 30c; oz., 50c; 1/4 lb., \$1.75

#### SWISS CHARD

3543 LUCULLUS—An improvement on the old type. Stalks are as thick and broad as rhubarb, leaves light green, much crumpled and curled. Packet, 5c; oz., 15c; 14 lb., 40c; lb., \$1.25

#### SQUASHES

- 3548 GIANT SUMMER CROOKNECK—The largest and one of the earliest Summer varieties. The fruits are often 2 feet long, very warted, and of a deep orange color. Quality excellent.

  Packet, 10c; oz., 15c; ½ lb., 40c; lb., \$1.50
- 3549 DELICATA—One of the best varieties for the home garden for both Summer and Winter use. Fruits are oblong, of a beautiful orange yellow color, splashed and striped with dark green. The flesh is dry, of incomparable sweetness and delicious flavor. Excellent for all purposes, cooking or baking. A fine keeper.
  Crop failed.
- 3550 IMPROVED HUBBARD—An improvement of the old favorite and popular Hubhard Squash. It is of luxuriant growth and very productive; forms heavy fruits of a dark bluish-green color and with orange-yellow flesh of fine quality. An excellent keeper.

  Packet, 10e; 0z., 15e; ½ lb., 55e; lb., 82.00
- 3551 MAMMOTH BUSH WHITE SCALLOPED—A favorite Summer Squash. Fruit scalloped and smooth, of a creamy white color. Flesh thick and of the best quality.

  Packet, 10e: 0z., 15e: ½ 1b., 50e; 1b., \$1.75



#### **TOMATOES**

# 3561 Earliana—The earliest and best of the very early Tomatoes. Very productive; bears fruits of large size, round, very smooth, solid, and of a bright scarlet color. Flesh meaty, firm, of excellent flavor.

Packet, 10e; 1/2 oz., 25e; oz., 40c; 14 lb., \$1.50

3559 Bonny Best—An exceptionally fine tomato of recent introduction. The fruits are of good size, smooth, solid and uniform. It is as early as the variety Earliana. It bears its fruits in clusters in the center of the plants. Color attractive bright red.

Packet, 10e; ½ oz., 25e; 1 oz., 45e; ¼ lb., \$1.60

3560 John Bear—An early very productive red tomato of the highest grade. One of the favorite varieties.

Packet, 10e; ½ oz., 25e; 1 oz., 45e

3565 Ponderosa Red—Of all the varieties that have been offered, this one has become the most famous all over the United States. The plants are vigorous and prodigious bearers. The fruits are exceptionally large, solid and meaty, with little seed and of excellent flavor.

Packet, 10e; 1/2 oz., 35e; oz., 60e; 1/4 lb., \$2.00

3566 Golden Ponderosa—The best large golden yellow Tomato. Smooth in appearance; of excellent quality and enormous size; ripens early. In shape very much like the Scarlet Ponderosa, but of a bright yellow color. Golden Ponderosa, served sliced and accompanied by a high-class scarlet variety similarly sliced, presents an appetizing combination difficult to resist.

Packed, 10c; ½ oz., 35c; oz., 60c

3569 Tomato Wayahead (New)—A very early, smooth, solid, red variety which is bound to become one of the most popular of all tomatoes. It is one of the finest tomatoes ever offered and is worthy of general cultivation. Our stock of seed is unexcelled.

Packet, 20c; 1/2 oz., 55c; 1 oz., \$1.00

### TURNIPS

3575 Red-Top Strap-leaved—This is the best early variety for the home garden. Very productive. Roots are flat Medium sized. The flesh is white, tender, and fine-grained.

Packet, 5c: oz., 10e; 1/4 lb., 30c; lb., 75c

3576 Golden Ball, or Orange Jelly—The finest yellow late Turnip for family use. Sown in July, it will give a crop in the early Fall. The flesh is very sweet, firm, crisp, and of the finest quality. A fine variety for storage and use during the Winter.

Packet, 5c; oz., 10c; 1, lb., 30c; lb., 75c

3577 Early Snowball—Very early, medium size, perfectly round and pure white.

Packet, 5c; oz., 10c; 1/4 lb., 35c

#### RHUBARB or PIE PLANT

3530 Linnaeus Giant—Early and very fine; leaves and stalks of immense size. Spring-sown seeds produce roots from which a crop may be taken the second year after sowing.

Packet, 5c; oz., 20c; 14 lb., 75c

#### RUTABAGAS

3580 Improved American Purple-Top—A hardy, very productive variety with small neck. The roots are large, oblong, or globular in form. Color bright yellow with a purple top. Flesh very solid, tender, and sweet.

Packet, 5c; oz., 15c; 1/4 lb., 25c; lb., 75c

#### HERB SEEDS

Culture—Sow early in Spring in shallow drills, 1 foot apart: when up a few inches, thin out or transplant. Should be cut on a dry day just before they come in full blossom, tied in bunches, hung up, or spread thin on a floor to dry. Those marked with an asterisk (*) are perennial.

3594 Borage—Excellent for bees. Per packet, 10c; oz .... 75c

3593 Caraway—Used in bread, etc. Per packet, 10c; oz..30c

3607 Saffron—Used for flavoring. Per packet, 10c; oz ... 30c

3608 *Sage—French. Leaves used for seasoning meats, etc.

Per packet, 25c; oz. \$1.10

3609 *Savory, Summer—Leaves and shoots are used for

flavoring. Per packet, 10c; oz. 40c
3610 *Savory, Winter—Per packet, 10c; oz. 50c

3613 *Thyme, Broad-leaved English—Per packet, 10c; 60c

3615 *Wormwood—Used medicinally. Per packet. 10c;

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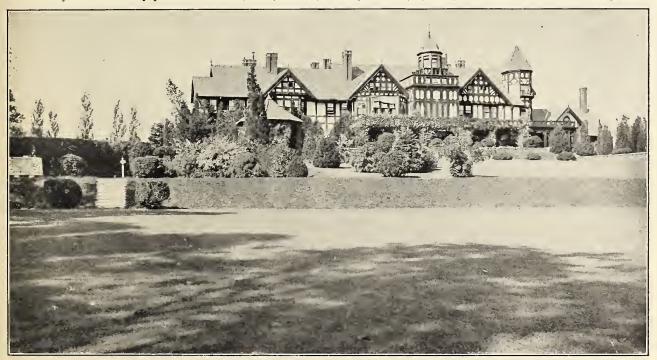
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3628 ELLIOTT'S SPRINGDALE TERRACE SEED —This mixture is best suited for sowing on terraces, embankments, and hillsides. It is composed of grasses which will stand drought and exposure, thriving in shallow soil. The roots are long and spreading and will prevent soil from sliding and washing out during heavy rains. Per lb., 70c; 5 lbs. \$3.25; 10 lbs., \$6.00; 100 lbs........\$55.00



# 3625 Springdale Velvet Lawn Seed

### A SUPERB QUALITY MIXTURE PRACTICALLY 100 PER CENT PURE

Composed of five different grasses which are at their best during different seasons of the year, and which are all high grade, fine leaved, dwarf grasses, used extensively in the making of putting-greens and fair-greens on several of the finest golf-courses in the country.

Our landscape department used this seed on extensive lawns on the finest private estates and has found that it produces a finer and hardier lawn than any other mixture.

We have sold immense quantities of this mixture to thousands of our customers in every state in the Union and in Canada, and we have received testimonials from everywhere commenting on its excellence.

This Lawn Seed Mixture is one of our own specialties, developed to its present state of perfection through practical experience of eminent landscape architects.

It is put up by ourselves from the finest quality grasses only. We believe it to be the best lawn seed mixture on the market and that it cannot be surpassed in quality at any price.

To bring this excellent mixture in reach of everybody we offer it at a price far less than the wholesale price of the grasses contained in it warrants.

Sow 1 lb. per plot of 15 by 20 feet. 125 lbs. per acre.

3625 Price per 1 lb., 55 cts.; 5 lbs., \$2.50; 10 lbs., \$4.75; 100 lbs., \$46.00.